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SCANDAL GROWS BIGGER HOURLY

SHADOW OF PEN LOOMS STRONG

Powerful Array of Legal Talent to Push Cases.

HOGAN SAYS HE HAS THE PROOF

Astoundisg Story About Division of Graft is Told.

Columbus, O., May 2.—The Franklin county grand jury met today to consider wholesale charges of bribery involving about forty members of the Ohio legislature. Scores of witnesses were summoned and it is said the jury may make a partial report some time tomorrow. "We have before us enough proof to convict in cases in which we are engaged," said Attorney General Hogan after a talk with Prosecuting Attorney Turner.

Clear Track For The Grand Jury.

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., May 2.—The shadow of the penitentiary looms black across the legislature today. Every recent development in the bribery sensation points to a clear track for the grand jury.

Every effort of the executive and legislative departments will be exercised to help Prosecutor Turner secure indictments. Representative Langdon, Republican, floor leader of the house, held a long conference with Governor Harmon today during which he pledged his support to the anti-graft campaign.

It is now believed the legislative session will be prolonged three weeks. One very noticeable feature of the situation is the empty spaces formerly filled by lobbyists. They have all deserted for happier fields. Attorneys for solons implicated in the detective stories are today claiming that the detectives are legally guilty of bribery without regard to motives. Attorney General Hogan takes the opposite ... and will fight to support his [illegible]

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Cause For Weeping

Miss Goldie Cassidy, a shoeworker, lodged complaint with the police against an up-town dressmaker. She had made one payment on a new dress, and when she called to get it, found that the woman had sold the entire outfit.

WORRY OVER MEXICAN REPORT

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 2.—The state department is worried by reports of increasing anti-American reports from Mexico.

Reports from Americans there indicate the Mexican government is encouraging this feeling. The latest incident s an outgrowth of an interview from Vice President Corral who was quoted as saying that Americans were fomenting the rebelling. Messages say that handbills bearing this interview are being distributed through central Mexico.

Warn Americans To Leave Mexico.

(By Associated Press.)

Nogales, Ariz., May 2.—High officials of the Southern Pacific railroad lines in Mexico arriving here today from the interior of Mexico said they received notice from rebels advising all Americans to move their families into the United States.

The rebels are quoted as having said if there is no peace agreement by Thursday night of this week they would attack all Mexican border towns.

MISS YOUNG FAINTS

(By United Press.)

Cleveland, O., May 2.—Miss Georgian Young of Pittsburg fainted on the stand today while rebutting testimony as to her alleged habits given in her suit for $50,000 breach of promise against James Corrigan. The court recessed until she was revived. The jury will probably get the case tomorrow.

Situation Is Tense

(By United Press.)

Chicago, May 2.—President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor arrived here with several other labor men to look up the local side and consider the Chicago labor situation.

The city is quiet but a deep unrest which prevails has caused the authorities to keep all police reserves on guard. There are 46,-200 men involved in labor disputes here of which number 11,-000 are already on strike. Gompers refused to discuss the situation, however.

Visited In Columbus.

Asst. City Engineer George Wilhelm was a business visitor in Columbus Monday.

Charles D. Duncan, of Chillicothe was in Portsmouth Monday on business.

Morocco Trouble May Spread

London, May 1.—With France preparing to send an army of 10,000 men into Morocco to subdue the rebellious tribesmen threatening Fez a serious international diplomatic situation has developed. Notes are being exchanged between Madrid and Berlin. Premier Canalejas of Spain, is trying to persuade the German government to join Spain in a protest against France's plans to send into Morocco a punitive expedition so strong that it might eventually serve the purpose of an army of occupation. Premier Monis of France, is indignant at Spain's action and threatens reprisals.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK ON C. & O.

Engine Is Hoodoo

BULLETIN.

(By Associated Press.)

Hinton, W. Va., May 2.—Two persons are known to be dead and four others are reported dead or badly hurt in a wreck of Chesapeake & Ohio passenger train No. 3 west bound from New York to Cincinnati, in the heart of the Blue Ridge mountains near here this morning. The train was late and was running at high speed when for some unknown cause the engine and baggage car left the rails.

C. T. Pilcher, engineer, of Huntington and Alexander Ritchie, fireman of Huntington, were killed. Other victims are reported to be the baggagemaster and a mail clerk and two other persons, whether trainmen or passengers, is not known.

Huntington, W. Va., May 2.—(Spl.)—Two trainmen were killed, two were injured and fifty passengers badly jolted up in the wreck of Chesapeake & Ohio F. F. V. train No. 3, which occurred at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at Alaska, Fayette county, just west of Thurmond. The engine in the wreck is known as "The Hoodoo" from the number of its victims.

The dead are:

C. B. Pilcher, engineer, Huntington.

Robert Ritchey, fireman, Huntington.

A mail clerk and the baggage-

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No End of Trouble For Six "Shrimp Wiggle" Maidens

North Adams, Mass., May 12.—Simply on account of a "shrimp wiggle" one girl has been expelled from the State Normal school, two others are under suspension and three more are on probation.

"Shrimp wiggle" is a succulent dish. It tastes best when compounded in a chafing dish. When it is made at midnight, in the secrecy of a dormitory room, and especially when all such midnight parties have been forbidden, it is a feast for goddesses.

The goddesses in this case were the six girls, the "shrimp wigglers." They disobeyed the order against chafing dish parties. Principal Murdock also said no alcohol should be kept in the girls' rooms. This was to prevent the chafing dishes being used.

One girl in Taconic Hall bought alcohol and shrimps and invited five others to a "wiggle." It was the hostess who was expelled.

8 FACING DEATH IN DOOMED BOAT

(By United Press.)

Astabula, O., May 2.—Eight men on board the wooden 300 foot lighter Progress are in danger today five miles east of here where the boat is aground on a sand bar many miles out in the lake.

She was driven ashore by a 70 mile gale last night and is in danger of going to pieces. The Ashtabula life savers are standing by.

Crew Thought To Be Drowned.

(By United Press.)

Milwaukee, Wis., May 2.—A big steamer was wrecked a half mile out in lake Michigan off White Fish Bay early today. Life savers are fighting their way out to it but it is feared the crew numbering at least five have been lost.

Mail Carrier Ill.

Mail Carrier William Reinoehl continues very ill at his home on Mahert road.

Will Let Contract.

J. F. Carr has announced that the contract for his new picture house, that will cost $12,000, will likely be awarded Wednesday.

Coffin Too Wide For Door

Terre Haute, Ind., May 2.—Because a coffin was so wide that it could not be got into the hearse the funeral of James P. McGill had to be held elsewhere. McGill weighed 390 pounds. Instead of a hearse a wagon had to be used to carry the body to the cemetery. He was the father of 12 boys.

STRIKE MAY BE BITTER AFFAIR

The Pennsylvania Made no Concessions To It's Shopmen.

BUNKS ARE PLACED IN PITCAIRN SHOPS

Garrison Will Also be Quartered There It Is Being Rumored.

(By United Press.)

Pittsburg, Pa., May 2.—The strike begun yesterday to force the recognition of the union organized by the shopmen on the Pennsylvania promises to be one of the hardest fought in the history of the shops.

The company flatly denies that it is discriminating saying it merely retained the most efficient working force.

It is reported the company is placing bunks in the Pitcairn shops and garrisoning the place.

Deitz Does Not Want Lawyer

(By United Press.)

Hayward, Wis., May 2.—John F. Deitz sprung a sensation in court today at the beginning of his trial for life on a murder charge preferred against him.

He refused to employ a lawyer because an attorney had offered his daughter Myra $500 to commit perjury and testify against her father. He said he had lost faith in lawyers.

A second sensation broke when he requested Judge Ried to dispense with a jury and decide the case himself. Ried declined to do so as he had not the power. Dietz then demanded his discharge because he had not been arrested on a warrant. His bondsmen today delivered him into the sheriff's hands thus relieving them of the $10,000 bond against them.

Dietz the defender of Cameron Dam, is accused of the murder of Deputy Sheriff Harp. Hard was killed trying to capture Dietz at his house last October.

MUST SECURE PERMISSION

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, May 2.—The Supreme Court of the United States upheld the constitutionality of the New York law forbidding the use of a photograph or name of another for trade or advertising purposes without permission of the subject.

Will Die In The Chair

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., May 2.—The supreme court decided that Steve Scott, colored, who killed Guseppi Casemento, an Italian of Troy, should die in the electric chair for crime. The court rejected his application for permission to carry up the case. Electrocution was set for June 23.

Mrs. Cal Stewart, of 117 Monroe street, is seriously ill with pneumonia fever.

Los Angeles Is Seething Over the Dynamite Case

Los Angeles, Cal., May 2.—There is a stir of suppressed excitement in Los Angeles, for the hint has leaked out from the authorities that important developments in the way of the arrest of more men in connection with the dynamiting for which John J. McNamara, James B. McNamara and Ortie E. McManigal are held in jail here may be looked for within thirty-six hours. These men are said to be two labor leaders of the Pacific coast, one of whom is especially prominent, and the others are two easterners, around whom the filaments of the web spun by the detectives have been thrown. Their identity was disclosed to the police by McManigal.

BLAIR A WITNESS IN BRIBE PROBE

Columbus, Ohio, May 2.—(Spl.)—It is understood that Judge A. Z. Blair gave strong testimony before the grand jury, but no one seems to know just what he said. It is understood his testimony dealt with an alleged demand on the part of some one for money to get the house steering committee to advance the bill to gerrymander Blair's district so as to let him out.

It is alleged that State Printer E. H. Crawford was told it would take from $500 to $1000 to put the matter through.

Judge Blair left Portsmouth early Tuesday, and it was stated here that he had been called to Columbus by a telephone summons to testify before the grand jury in the legislative bribe probe.

Free Wool Coming

(By United Press.)

Washington, May 2.—Free raw wool at the end of five years will probably be the outcome when the wool schedule comes up in the house. Nine of the fourteen Democrats on the Ways and Means committee favor immediate free wool. The other five favor a reduction of 5c a pound making the duty 6c. The plan is to have 1c taken off each year thereafter until the duty is taken off entirely.

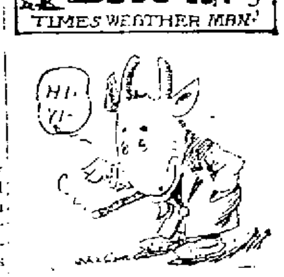
Mrs. Long No Better.

Mrs. Ed Long continues very low at her home on Dry Run. She is a daughter of Xavier Lordier, manager at Joe Schaefer's feed store.

J. B. Isaacs has purchased a fine five room cottage of H. H. Bierly and will occupy the same the last of this week.

BILLY BUTT-IN

TIMES WEATHER MAN



Well well, think o' this. One o' them baseball fans approached me this a. m. and poked this at me. "Say Bill, you're th' real goods. Th' way you shook up the weather dope yesterday after th' game had been postponed and had th' park dried up so they could play was a caution. We can put up with this chilly stuff after that. Put 'er there old man. I'm for you."

Here you are for tomorrow:

Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Fair tonight, Wednesday frost Pair tonight and Wednesday, frost tonight.

Kentucky, Fair tonight and Wednesday, frost tonight.

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Not by 16 to 1 but 296 to 16 the bill to popularize elections of United States senators passed the lower house of congress.

The Socialist wing of Congress seems to be the only one that does not have trouble getting together.

We can't win 'em all, nor we don't want to. Just a trifle more than any other club will be sufficient for our modest ambition.

The progressive senators did not expect to win their contest for special recognition on the committees. That saved them disappointment.

If these dealers keep on advertising in The Times, the man who doesn't own an automobile will be the exception instead of the rule.

The Peerless is certainly making a record in church buildings, and that is where Huntington can't touch us and seems to have no desire to come anywhere near.

Notwithstanding a rather disagreeable April May is ushered in with trees far advanced in foilage and grass in fine growth, while many a flower is already in bloom.

It is proposed to build a highway from New York to Washington. Most people have always supposed Wall street extended down that far and the way was long since worn smooth.

The Ceredo Advance says the Republicans in congress are getting together beautifully. So they have by voting with Democrats in the lower house, but it is surprising the Republican Advance would admit it.

Escapes Easily.
Gilbert Kendall whom the police ordered into court for exceeding the speed limit with his automobile was let off with a lecture by Mayor Searcy Tuesday.

Library Board Meets.
The board of library trustees held a meeting Tuesday morning to prepare its budget for the next six months.

Mrs. L. J. Moorehead, of West Seventh street, while attending the ball game at the park, Sunday, lost her pocketbook containing quite a sum of money.

Visiting Relatives.
Calvin Brewer, of Big Sandy, is visiting his brother-in-law, J. J. Baxter, a West Second street second hand dealer.

Will Remodel House.
Architects Devoss and Wilson Monday began receiving bids on the remodeling of Elbert McCoy's home on Lincoln Hill.

Lou Treated Them.
Lou Cooper, a Portsmouth Shoe Company employe, who was married a few days ago, Monday treated fellow employees to the cigars.

A REAL DIGESTIVE HELP

If the stomach is too weak to properly digest your food try

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

It strengthens, tones and invigorates the entire digestive system. Start today. You'll acknowledge it's superiority.

Open Bids For Bank Home

Bids for the construction of the new eight story building to be erected by the First National bank were opened Tuesday and canvassed, but the contract will not be awarded until later.

There were twenty bids on the job as a whole and an unusually large number of separate bids. They were carefully inspected by Mr. Elzner, of the architectural firm of Elzner & Anderson, of Cincinnati. E. G. Nave & Company and Dick Dawson, of this city, bid on the job as a whole. The Ferro Construction Company of Cincinnati, which is putting up the building for the Gilbert Grocery Company also submitted a bid for the contract in its entirety.

Samuel Reed stated to the Times Tuesday it may be several days before the name of the lowest bidder will be given out.

N. & W. MEN ARE HURT

Two Portsmouth trainmen were injured on the N. & W. at points in West Virginia Monday evening.

B. H. Robertson, a fireman on extra freight train No. 382 fell off a tank at Nagatuck and was severely bruised and shaken up. He returned home on a passenger train. Brakeman E. Collins, of passenger train No. 18 had a hand mashed while unloading baggage at the county farm near Wayne.

Would Quash Indictment

The recent grand jury returned indictments against J. A. Johnson and Claude Messer, butchers at Sedan, O., on a charge of throwing offal in the creek. Three indictments were returned charging them jointly and separately. On Tuesday attorneys Bannon and Bannon filed a motion in common pleas court to quash the indictment that charges them jointly on the ground that two or more alleged separate offenses are attempted to be charged.

Jackson Has A Fine Shop

John H. Jackson has named his barber shop at 521 Main street, Cincinnati in the Lincoln Inn Court building, "The National." He has a fine, up-to-date first class shop in every respect and guarantees his old Portsmouth friends the best of work and treatment, if they call upon him, when in Cincinnati.

Will Attend Auto Races

R. S. Prichard expects to attend the big auto races at Latonia, Ky., May 13 and 14. Some of the most noted drivers in the state will participate in the events. Mr. Prichard, of course, is vitally interested in the Buick machines that have been entered.

Soda Artist In Charge

Ralph Miller, of Lancaster, O., has taken a position at Frank Miller's drug store. Mr. Miller had charge of the soda water fountain last summer and is an adept in the art of catering for trade. He is a nephew of the proprietor of the drug store.

Will Not Bid.
Dick Dawson stated Tuesday that he would not submit a bid on the new tobacco warehouse that was going up in Maysville. It will be one of the largest in these parts, the dimensions being 210 by 300. It is being built by independent tobacco growers of Maysville.

Quit His Job.
William "Button" Scott has given up his job at the Portsmouth Machine and Casting Co. Sunday.

FOR DIRECT ELECTION

(By United Press.)
Columbus, Ohio, May 2—**The Senate this afternoon passed the Wyman House bill for the Oregon plan of direct popular election of United States Senators. The vote was 18 to 16. The House is expected to concur.**

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frank Swartz, aged 42, a moulder of Waynesboro, Va., was granted a license on Tuesday to wed Miss Emma Messmer, aged 38, a shoeworker, of the city. Rev. Freund officiated.

William Walters, aged 27, a farmer, was granted a license on Tuesday to wed Miss Clara Born, aged 24. Both are of the city. Father Glockner officiated.

WESLEYS AT HOME

The Wesleys, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stemshorn arrived in the city Monday to spend a week with relatives. They decided to take a week off and came direct to Portsmouth. They will resume their work in vaudeville Monday.

Accommodation Pretty Late

The B. & O. S.-W. accommodation train was an hour and seventeen minutes late arriving here on Tuesday, due to a freight car derailing in the Hamden yards.

Bible Study

The bible setudy class of district 18 will meet at the home of Mrs. Blackburn, 336 East Eleventh streee, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The lesson will be Luke 4-16-44.

Mrs. Mayhew Is Sinking

Mrs. Rebecca Mayhew, an aged woman living near Wheelersburg, whose condition has been extremely critical for the past few days with an attack of heart trouble, was reported sinking rapidly late Tuesday.

STAHLER ON THE JOB

C. E. Stahler has been appointed the local representative of the J. C. Mulvihill Co., of Cincinnati, dealers in dairy products. The firm has enjoyed a liberal patronage in this city for several years and in Mr. Stahler they have a wide awake agent.

Improving Their Store

A. Steinkamp & Co. have made quite a cleaning up in the way of painting and renovating the interior of their splendid furniture establishment on West Second street, which along with the changing of displays adds greatly to its neat appearance.

Find Dead Negro

An N. & W. train crew discovered the dead body of a middle-aged unknown Negro lying underneath the [illegible] bridge just this side of Ironton Tuesday.

The crew notified the agent at Ironton who detailed section men to pick up the body. It contained no marks to indicate he had been struck by a train.

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Pioneer Dies On Anniversary

Lemuel Mitchell, a former resident of Scioto county, died at Sabina, on April 12th. The peculiarity of the date is that it marked the 78th anniversity of Mr. Mitchell's birth. He was a pioneer of the Young settlement and lived there on a farm for many years, moving to Sabina about a decade ago. By marriage he was related to the Newmans a large and influential family on the West Side. His aged wife survives him.

May Open A Store

If a deal now pending materializes a general store will be opened in the Turley building within the next few days. C. A. Crabtree, of Columbus, arrived in the city Tuesday, and will likely rent the room recently vacated by the Griswold grocery. He states that he owns a store near Cincinnati, which invoiced $10,000, and he desires to dispose of his stock here.

He also has the refusal of a room in the Maxwell building and will move his stock there unless he can secure the Turley room.

Watch Your $10 Bills

A bogus ten dollar bill was passed Monday on a well known Chillicothe street merchant. The bill looks in every way like mint-coined money and its spuriousness was not detected until the bill was taken to a bank to be deposited.

Bible Class Has Meeting

The Do Things Bible Class met at the home of Mrs. M. W. Brown, 1401 McConnell avenue, Monday night. J. H. Finney was the leader and there was a good attendance. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. F. Menke, of Highland avenue and the lesson will be Luke, 8th Chapter.

Fireman Is Injured

N. & W. Fireman H. H. Calvert was painfully injured at Newtown, Monday evening, when his foot was caught between the apron of the car and the water tank of the engine.

Mr. Calvert, who resides at 310 Twelfth street, was fireman on passenger train No. 23. He was attended by a physician at Newtown and brought to his home here on the midnight Cincinnati train. While the foot was badly lacerated it is not thought that any bones were broken.

WORK WAS NECESSARY

The Sunday work done on the new Gilbert building mentioned in Monday's paper was absolutely necessary. Some concrete blocks were damaged by the heavy rain Saturday and had to be fixed before the concrete set. There was no workmen on duty except the concrete workers.

Opens Office

Dr. J. D. Hendrickson is preparing to open an office in the down town business district. He has rented the corner room on the second floor of the Masser block.

Plans To Locate Sanatarium Here

A prominent physician of Cincinnati has, it is said, secured an option on the Leher property, corner of Ninth and John streets, and if he is successful in purchasing the Schnitzius property, directly east of the same, will erect a modern sanatarium.

The physician was in the city the other day and was much pleased with what he saw. He is at present connected with one of the leading sanitariums in the Queen City and believes that one here would prove quite successful. Should he decide to go ahead with the project he would erect a building of thirty-five rooms at the least. It would be of brick and cost in the neighborhood of $20,000.

Help! Help! Auto Goes on Rampage

A chauffeur who had charge of Councilman W. E. Cook's seven passenger Welch-Detroit touring car, thought for a time, Monday evening, that he had gotten hold of a machine that was a cross between a Spanish and Italian machine, the way the critter acted up.

It seems that he had run the car into its garage on Gay street, Monday evening, and neglected to throw out the clutch in the reverse gear. He took several of his friends to the garage to inspect the machine. He cranked his machine, and the spark plug was working beautifully.

The engine started and the car began doing stunts that would make a whirling Dervish dancer turn green with envy. Shooting backward like a craw-fish the car bounded out the door of the garage and scooted across the street, every cylinder working overtime. It ran first one way and then 'tother, finally bringing up against the fence that surrounds the home of Mayor Searcy. The neighbors came running out, thinking a regiment of bull dogs were trtying to chew each other up.

Little damage was done to either the machine or the fence, but the driver declares that hereafter he will watch that clutch like a hawk.

The machine, which is one of the finest in the city was purchased through R. S. Prichard.

GREAT IS FEAR FELT FOR THE MISSIONARIES

(By United Press.)
Hong Kong, China, May 2—The foreign quarters of Canton is now under the guard of several hundred marine guns landed from British steamers who have placed rapid fire guns at advantageous points. Their presence will probably insure the safety of that quarter.

There are two United States steamers, four British ships, two French and one German warship in the Canton harbor. So far the foreign residents have suffered no injury. There is grave fear for the missionaries scattered through the province as the uprising is partly anti-foreign and the danger to the missionaries increases as the rebellion gain strength.

The government's position is doubly hazardous because of the rebellion shows any signs of succeeding the troops will desert to the rebels.

Plan For Defense

(By Associated Press.)
Los Angeles, May 2.—With the arrival from Indianapolis of Leo Rappaport, attorney for the International Association Bridge Structural Iron Workers, the cases of the McNamara brothers, accused of dynamiting, is expected to reach the court with little delay.

Rappaport today conferred with the attorneys who are to assist him. W. Joseph Ford, assistant district attorney, who was arrested on a charge of kidnaping at Indianapolis is scheduled to reach here tomorrow.

Will Not Ask Change Of Venue.
(By United Press.)
Los Angeles, Calif., May 2.—It is today considered improbable that the McNamaras will ask for a change of venue. District Attorney Fredericks said today the case will be tried solely on its merits.

Officials of the San Francisco labor council claim to have new evidence that at least part of the state's evidence is a frame-up.

ORDERS A NEW LEG

"Yank" Robinson, who, it will be recalled, lost a leg by falling under an N. & W. freight train near the Spring Lane distillery Christmas day, has returned from Columbus, where he went to purchase an artificial limb. None of those in stock would fit him and he had his measure taken.

MAY RETURN TO TEXAS

Walter H. Pollitt, pianist at the Majestic theatre, Tuesday, received a fine offer to go back to San Antonio, Texas, where he was located for some time before coming here. He expects to accept the offer and will probably leave for that city early next week.

William Tatman returned to Cincinnati Monday to resume his duties on the U. S. grand jury.

DEBATE ENDS ON MAY 13

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, May 2.—The senate finance committee decided to devote up to May 13 to hearings on the Canadian reciprocity bill. Immediately thereafter it is expected the bill will be reported to the senate.

REBATING EXPLAINED

(By United Press.)
New York, May 2—An official explanation of the Pennsylvania railroad side of the indictment for rebating received here was issued today. The statement explains there was a fixed charges for unloading vessels and loading cars at the ore docks and rent at the end of each year any balance which had accumulated after the upkeeps and maintainances were met, was divided among the shippers. This, it is claimed, insured uniformed rates.

SISTERS IN SCRAP

Lulu and Zora Hunt, sisters, of 328 East Sixth street, fought with broomsticks and similar weapons, the police say, late today. Officer Galford quelled the disturbance.

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Fine Showing By Portsmouth Bank

The Portsmouth Banking Company declared its regular semi-annual dividend yesterday on a six per cent. basis, and also laid by a very healthy amount to their surplus fund.

The Portsmouth Banking Company is considered today one of the solid banking institutions of Portsmouth, and is growing rapidly. It has almost the solid deposits of the merchants of the west end.

Each and every one of them are endeavoring in every way to further the bank's interest, being fully aware that it is to the interest of every west end merchant to keep up an institution, such as the character of The Portsmouth Banking Company has developed into, which disposition on the part of the west end merchants adds largely to the success of The Portsmouth Banking Company.

This bank is very conservative in its manner of doing business, at the same time it is liberal in its credits to those who are worthy of credit, and by conservative business methods, has been able to build up a most successful financial institution, which it is at the present time.

AUSTIN TELLS HIS STORY

John Austin, the former B. & O. S.-W. section man, who cut Landin Skaggs in the back during a scrap Saturday night, told his story to Mayor Searcy, Tuesday.

Austin said he had acted in self-defense for he was alone when Skaggs and a number of his friends attacked him. He claimed to be innocent of bootlegging. Sentence was deferred.

Escaping Gas Causes Fire

Escaping gas which accidentally became ignited, caused a small fire at the home of Mr. Powers at 118 East Third street, at 1 o'clock Tuesday. Damage was slight. The property is owned by Ot. Boyer.

Ackerman Is Director

A. W. Ackerman, formerly of Portsmouth, was chosen one of the directors of the East End Commercial Club, recently organized at Huntington, and was appointed a committee of one to secure a charter for a ferry to operate between the upper end of the town and the Ohio side.

BROTHER DIED SUDDENLY IN COLUMBUS

Charles Shoemaker through a message received Monday night, was apprised of the sudden death of his brother, Wm. Shoemaker, a former well known Portsmouth machinist, who was employed at the N. & W. terminals here for several years.

He was found dead near the Norfolk & Western freight depot in the Capital City early Monday, and death was pronounced due to heart failure.

Fred Proud And Homesick

Fred Hungerford, manager of Kirby's, is real proud these days, even if it does make him more than a trifle homesick. The cause of his contrary sort of feeling is the receipt of the jubilee number of the Daily Times, of Watertown, N. Y., and the remarkable progress it shows—it has grown big just like Fred has. It started shortly after Fort Sumpter was fired on, as a four-page sheet with an edition of a few hundred copies. The jubilee number contains 24 pages and the regular circulation of the paper is close to 9,000, a great difference for even half a hundred years.

OBJECT TO CHANGE

The board of trade directors at the meeting Monday night passed resolutions against the N. & W.'s latest move in its Pullman sleeping and chair car service.

The directors take the position that the railway is discriminating against Portsmouth in favor of Charleston, W. Va., and in this stand have the backing of travelers generally who have enjoyed the service begun on the Scioto division two months ago. Copies of the resolutions will be sent to the N. & W. general officials.

NO TRUTH IN REPORT

L. Lawwill & Son, grocers at the corner of Eleventh and North Waller streets, are looking for the juvenile scribe on the Blade who had them quitting the grocery business Monday, to engage in the [illegible] business. Messrs. Lawwill stated to a Times reporter Tuesday that there was absolutely no truth in the story, for they were perfectly satisfied with their business and had no intention of discontinuing the same.

Mrs. Owen Hopkins and son, Master Robert, of 330 East Sixth street, are quite ill with grip and malarial fever.

SADIE MUST GO BACK AGAIN

Sadie McCloud, a 15-year-old girl of Coleman, W. Va., was turned over to the juvenile court by Deaconess Hammond, Tuesday. The girl was found wandering on the streets a few days ago penniless. She found a temporary home at the residence of J. Q. Adams, Tenth street.

She was discovered in a similar plight here a couple of weeks ago and was sent back to Coleman by Deaconess Hammond. She claims to be looking for a brother-in-law by the name of Nichols, whom she says lives here. She will be sent back again to Coleman.

RIVER NEWS

The rapid drop of the Ohio river was checked by a small rise Monday night. At 3:00 p. m. Tuesday the stage of the river on the local marks was 20.0 feet and rising slowly.

Wednesday's boats: Up, Queen City and Greenwood at 8:00 a. m. and Greyhound at 2:30 p. m. Down, Tacoma for Cincinnati at 6:00 p. m.

Plans Are Presented

Architects Devoss and Wilson on Tuesday presented the plans of the new jail to the county commissioners. Commissioners and others expressed themselves as satisfied with the plans.

Frank Trende Better.
The condition of Frank Trende of Kendall avenue, who has typhoid fever, is reported unchanged.

Be wise! Get a Permit TO SMOKE 5 cents
A mild, mellow cigar that makes friends

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Auction Sale

Whole or part entire contents of the only Exclusive Meat Market in Jackson county, Ohio, fully equipped with all modern machinery. Sale begins at 9 a. m. Friday, May 5th.

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111 Water Street, Jackson, Ohio.

"CLEAN-UP" ORDER MUST BE OBEYED

The Board of Health has lost patience with those whom it has ordered to abate nuisances with a view to putting the city in a good sanitary condition for the summer. It would not be surprising to hear of legal proceedings being instituted against the alleged offender before another meeting of the board.

The Brokaw dam in the East End was again the subject for considerable discussion at the meeting of the board. Monday night. Mr. Brokaw has not complied with orders to remove the dam though he has taken the matter up with the city council with a view to having the city extend the Robinson avenue Sewer across his premises. To this proposition, Solicitor Thomas stated to the board the city would be willing to give favorable consideration and he advised that the health board proceed to carry out its orders. The property is not in the name of Mr. Brokaw but in his wife's name and before action can be taken it will be necessary to give her the statutory ten days notice. The board ordered this to be done and unless she complies with the order the Solicitor will institute legal proceedings.

All others who have been given notice to abate nuisance and have not complied with the order will be given another notice and as soon as the ten days are up the matter will be turned over to the solicitor to begin legal proceedings.

Solicitor Thomas reported on the Jordan vaults on Findlay street and asked more time. He found a number of other vaults in that immediate vicinity in as bad condition, and all will be dealt with in the same manner.

Isaac Mead will also be given the regular ten days notice to drain his pond on Robinson avenue.

The schedule of appropriations for the board for 1912 was authorized at the same figures as for 1911, $3630.00. In connection with making the appropriation, the health officer, Dr. McKerrihan stated he had a number of new and necessary matters that he intends to take up this year which would call for more money. As there will be a surplus of over $1000.00 this year and large surpluses from other years it was decided that there would be plenty of money to carry out his plans and the appropriation was not increased.

The regular schedule amounting to $156.25 was allowed.

The mortality report of clerk John W. Brant for the month of April shows a decided decrease over March. There was a total of but 27 deaths which makes a rate of 1.125 per thousand for the month or 13½ per thousand for the year. There were but 2 fatalities from typhoid fever. Other diseases were whooping cough, 1; constitutional diseases, 9; bronchitis, 2; heart disease, 1; meningitis, 2; peritonitis, 1; pneumonia, 6; violence, 2; still birth, 4.

The report of health officer McKerrihan shows 16 cases of typhoid fever, one of scarlet fever, measles 30 and whooping cough, 5. There was not a single case of diphtheria.

Sanitary policeman Switalski reported 9 permits for burying dead animals and the disposal of 11 by the chemical company. He issued 31 notices to abate nuisances and disinfected 3 houses. He reported the city in a fair sanitary condition.

Preparing For Mother's Day

Mayor H. C. Searcy is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Samuel L. Black, of Columbus, calling attention to Mother's Day, Sunday, May 14th. Governor Harmon has issued a proclamation asking that the day be celebrated in a proper way, and Miss Jarvis, founder of the day, also requests that the mayors of all Ohio cities and towns delikewise.

Foreman Has Resigned

Frank Schaun, foreman of the lasting gallery at the Selby Shoe Company has tendered his resignation, to take effect on Thursday. Mr. Schaun has as yet no plans for the future.

Charlie Has Fine Record

Charles Bash, a well known N. & W. upholsterer, is now rounding out his seventeenth year in that company's service. Charley has been an upholsterer for the past twenty years and is a first class workman. He frequently finds time to do work for his friends, as he has a workshop fitted up at his home, No. 1143 Grandview avenue.

Courtship In Marriage.

Many men are prone to consider that their courting days end with marriage, but the little attentions which the wife used to delight in are still dear to her. Maybe flowers and candy are too expensive now, but a man can bring joy to her heart by making her work easier.

Have her try a cake of Hewitt's clean, white Easy Task soap. It will do half of the work which has been wearing her out; she can keep her hands soft and white, and the house will be kept neat and clean.

INSPECT BAR MILL

H. H. Hart, traveling representative of the Spencer-Otis Company, of Chicago, lessees of the bar mill at the Portsmouth steel plant, arrived here Monday on an inspection visit. The bar mill is preparing for a big run on plow steel.

FOR SALE

Ice—Pure, fresh and clean, delivered to any part of the city. Call Home phone 149. A. S. Maier. 1-tf

Out In Their New Uniforms

Local B. & O. S.-W. trainmen, Monday, made their initial appearance in new summer outfits. The uniforms are blue and the caps black instead of white as worn last season.

Wild Ducks Invade Park

A flock of wild ducks invaded Athletic park Sunday and still remained on the big pond there Monday. The unusual sight attracted half of the population of the East End.

Back to His Old Place

Hoyt Smith Tuesday re-entered the employ of W. J. Friel. He recently gave up a good position with the Packard Company in Cincinnati.

Champs Get the Best.

While in Marion the Champs will be housed at the Pilgrim Inn, the best hotel in the city. Manager Childs believes in giving his boys the best.

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New Haven, Conn.—"I was troubled with a most persistent chronic cough for a long time and had tried so many remedies and prescriptions without benefit that I was discouraged. I was persuaded by my friends to try Vinol. I must say that I had little confidence, but I made up my mind to give it a fair trial. Before I finished my first bottle of Vinol I commenced to notice an improvement in my general condition. After taking the second bottle, my cough left me, and I must say I never felt better in my life.—all due to the use of Vinol. I can also recommend Vinol to anyone in a run down condition as the best possible remedy." (Name furnished on request.)

It is the combined action of the medicinal elements of the cods' livers aided by the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron which makes Vinol so efficient in curing chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis—at the same time building up the weakened, run-down system. Vinol contains no oil and tastes good.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Frank Ammann, Druggist, Two Stores, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Helped To Fix Park

Frank "Sog" Kaytor Saturday surprised some of his West End friends when he declared he had helped lay out Tracy Park. Frank carried the chain for the late civil engineer, Francis Cleveland.

His Skull Fractured

Arthur Johnson, a Southern Negro, fell from an N. & W. train at Lockburne Saturday night and had his skull fractured. He was removed to a Columbus hospital.

Were Thrown From Buggy

Wilbur Wright and daughter were thrown from a buggy and bruised when a horse he was driving frightened at a passing automobile near Union Mills, the other night.

Foley's Kidney Remedy Acted Quickly.

M. N. George, Irondale, Ala., was bothered with kidney trouble for many years. "I doctored, and tried kidney medicines without material benefit, in fact, kept getting worse. I was persuaded to try Foley Kidney Remedy, and before taking it three days I could feel its beneficial effects. The pain left my back, my kidney action cleared up, and I am so much better I do not hesitate to recommend Foley Kidney Remedy to all sufferers." Fisher & Streich.

Half Hundred At Infirmary

According to Supt. John Hall there are now an even half hundred inmates in the county infirmary. Almost 200 have been admitted to the institution in the past year.

Mahoney Is Out.

Louis Mahoney, a Prudential insurance agent, who was hurt in a runaway accident a week ago, is able to be about again.

Little Girl May Lose An Eye

The Irontonian has the following account of an accident which befell little Martha Gould, a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson, of East Fourth street:

"Martha, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Gould, was the victim of a painful accident the last of the week that may result in her losing the sight of one eye. The little girl was rolling an iron hoop in the yard of their home at Sheridan, when she stumbled and fell, running the stick, she was holding, into her eye, making a bad cut across the iris. Dr. Dan Gray accompanied Mr. Gould to Sheridan and dressed the injured eye, after removing a splinter about three-quarters of an inch long from the eye ball. It will be several days before the full extent of the injury can be learned."

Joe Is Back At Throttle

Joe Knoppe, a veteran B. & O. S.-W. engineer, Monday, resumed his run on the Portsmouth-Hamden accommodation. Joe has never fully recovered from injuries sustained in a wreck last summer and during his last five weeks enforced layoff was reduced 17 pounds in weight.

Toast to be On Patriotism

General Jacob H. Smith, who will attend the banquet of the Loyal Legion society at Cincinnati Wednesday evening, will respond to a toast, "Patriotism, in It's Truest and Broadest Meaning." In view of General Smith's experience it is natural to predict that his address will be an interesting one.

Fine Record By Fine Man

Monday, May 1, marked the fiftieth anniversary of Col. Alex Altsman's entry in the shoe business in which he has enjoyed deserved success.

For some years after coming here in February, 1861, from Pittsburg, he was associated with B. Bell & Co. and later joined the sales force of The Tracy Shoe Co. and was on the road for thirty years or until he retired to go in the house five years ago. Prior to coming here he had eight years of experience in the shoe business.

Hotel Almost Completed

H. T. Hatton's new three story brick hotel building at New Boston is about completed. Quite a number of parties are seeking to rent it.

McCoy Seems Well Pleased

C. S. McCoy writes from Edmonton, Alberta-Canada, that he is well pleased with his new surroundings. He recently took a homestead claim there.

Will Go On Special Train

The Modern Woodmen degree team will use a special car on its trip to the National Encampment at Buffalo in June.

No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so GIVES HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY.

You can't afford to accept a *secret* nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

HIS SIX SONS CARRY FATHER TO THE GRAVE

A funeral without a hearse or carriages for the mourners was the unusual spectacle in Portsmouth, witnessed at the burial of the late John McCoy, Monday afternoon.

The McCoy home is located on Gilmore street, about a half square distant from Greenlawn cemetery, and for that reason it was decided to hold the funeral procession on foot. The casket containing the remains of Mr. McCoy were in accordance with his own request borne to the last resting place by his six grown sons, William M., McCoy, James B. McCoy and Edward R. McCoy, all of Cincinnati, and Robert B. McCoy, John M. McCoy and Ambrose D. McCoy, of this city. Only two carriages were provided, one for the numerous and beautiful floral offerings and the other for the bereaved widow and daughters, and the officiating minister, Rev. E. A. Powell, rector of All Saints Episcopal church. Rev. Mr. Powell, however, preferred to walk and led the procession, which participated in as it was by a large number of relatives and friends of the family, formed an impressive sight. Only one or two similar processions have taken place at Greenlawn before, and none in recent years.

Tod Thinks 'Two-Fers' Are Good Medicine

Officer Tod Cropper, who has never really recovered from his last winter's illness, did duty at police headquarters Monday night. Tod has reached the conclusion that giving up the smoke habit proved injurious to him. He has never felt exactly right since he smoked his last cigar last September, and has about determined to again invest in "a box of his favorite 'two-fers.'"

Grant Is Feeling Fine.

Grant Hannahs was so elated over his recent election to the exalted office of sentinel of River City council that he entertained fellow Commercial Travelers to a theatre party Saturday night. They made the rounds of all the picture theaters.

Called On A Sad Errand

Miss Effie Easton, of West Second street, was called to Portsmouth, Ohio, Monday by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Young, at that place. No particulars concerning her death and the time of conducting the funeral were received.

TURN ROOM IS SLACK

The Selby Shoe Company's turn room employes are working slack time this week.

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and in all lands under the sun—in all conditions of life—by generation after generation the safest and most reliable family remedy the world has ever known is Beecham's Pills. The good these unequalled health regulators have done, in the quick relief of human suffering and the prevention of serious sicknesses, is beyond calculation.

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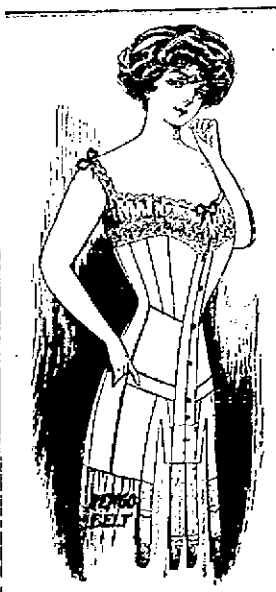

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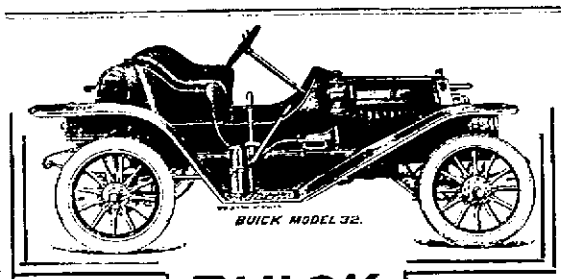

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In effect Oct. 9, 1910.

West Bound.

No. 1 daily, fast train 7:14 a. m.
No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7 daily, local .... 2.20 p. m.
No. 5 daily, fast train 5:29 a. m.
No. 17 daily, local .. 7:15 a. m.

East Bound.

No. 2 daily, fast train 2:44 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:43 p. m.
No. 6 daily, local .. 11:31 a. m.
No. 8 daily, fast train 11.28 p. m.
No. 16 daily, local .. 7:15 p. m.

Ticket office, 126 Market street Washington hotel. Both phones.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO SOUTHWESTERN R.R.

Local Schedule, Feb. 16, 1911.

Leaves Ports.	Arrives Hamden.
No. 50 7.00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
No. 52 2:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.

Leaves Hamden.	Arrives Ports
No. 51 7:40 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
No. 53 4:05 p. m.	6:35 p. m.

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Fast freight service to all points.

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Kenova District—Eastbound.

No. 18, Daily..... 7:00 a. m
No. 16, Daily .. .... 11:45 a. m.
No. 32, Daily ex Sun. 7:28 p. m.
No. 4, Daily (fast) .12:01 a. m.

Columbus District—Westbound.

No. 3, Daily, fast train 3:47 a. m.
No. 33, Daily ex Sun. 7:25 a. m.
No. 15, Daily .. .... 3:35 p. m.

Cincinnati District.

No. 23, Daily (fast). 4:00 a. m.
No. 35, Daily ex Sun. 7:30 a. m.
No. 37, Daily .. .. .. 2:20 p. m.
No. 25, Daily fast train 3:40 p. m.

Cincinnati to Portsmouth

Lv. 6:50 a. m. ar. P. 10:25 a m *
Lv. 8:45 a. m. ar. P. 11:20 a m *
Lv. 5:40 p. m. ar. P. 9:30 p. m.
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Everything Is Ready For the Big Circus

The last brigade heralding the approach of the John Robinson's Ten Big Shows combined, arrived in town today, and the work of completing the final arrangements will be finished up. Everything will be in readiness when the big circus arrives in Portsmouth.

Early Friday morning the long circus trains will arrive, and by the time residents have completed their early morning breakfasts the tented village will be spread on the show grounds for the day. The first section of the train is known as the "Pilot Squadron", and is the first to leave town, and the first to arrive. The cars of this train are loaded with the cook houses, the massive ovens, refrigerators, and horse stables. By the time the remaining sections arrive, the culinary department is set up, ready for the morning meal. The John Robinson circus, unlike the other circuses, buys every item of provisions required for the day in the city the show plays.

Of course the morning feature of circus day will be the free street parade. At eleven o'clock the bugle will sound, and the line of march will commence, the route being picked to include all the principal streets of the city. Elephants, camels, open dens of wild animals including the animal actors of the trained wild animal exhibit, open dens of caged beasts pretty women, dashing male riders, Sioux Indians, the cowboys, cowgirls and Wild West performers together with the Far East aggregation will all be in line. The parade this year should not be missed even though the spectator cannot witness either of the big performances.

Immediately after the parade, a series of free attractions will be offered at the show grounds for the benefit of those who cannot attend the show. The cowboys' home, the Indian settlement, the Cossacks' village and the Far East aggregation will open their domains to the public while the ethological congress and the horse fair will interest the throng until the show begins in the massive arena.

The doors to the circus will be opened at one o'clock to allow all an opportunity to visit the complete menageries, while Prof. Gehrlach and his band of forty will offer a musical program, and the "Clowns' Carnival", a new idea this season, will amuse the vast throngs while being seated. The clowns, this year, an army of fifty, will appear in the rings, on the stages, the hippodrome track, the Wild West plaza, and even in the steel arena and the aerial enclave in the dome of the big tent. The congress of comedians includes Joseph Coyle, four years old, the youngest clown on the road and Mlle. Fredericka Biggs, the only lady clown on the road today.

After the matinee performance the animals will be fed, and in the evening the doors will be opened an hour earlier when the band concert and clowns' carnival will be repeated. The series of free attractions will also be offered again for the benefit of those who are not able to witness the afternoon program.

The big tent comfortably seats ten thousand spectators, and as the John Robinson's circus is the only big circus that will visit this section this season, the early spectators will secure the choice seats. All the seats are provided with comfortable back and foot rests obviating all the discomforts that circus crowds experience at other shows. The grand stand and boxes all have comfortable chairs. The tents are wind and rain proof, not a bit of water will soak through, and if the weather be inclement special arrangements have been made to coat the ground with cinders and prepared material, making it as dry as one could wish.

The elephant that actually plays a piano, the man who allows an auto to pass over his body, the most daring aerial act in the country, including the woman who flies from a trapeze to the arms of an acrobat swinging head down from a trapeze at the far end of the tent, the bareback riding bear, the football pony, the balloon goose, the "Upside Down" acrobat, the man who turns a somersault on the tight wire, and the woman who slides down a runway on her chest are a few of this year's features. The circus is the only one on the road that combines a circus, wild west performance and trained wild animal exhibit all for one admission.

The papers of all the large cities of Ohio have declared as a unit that the performance is the best given by any circus this season.

MLLE. MARGUERITE.

Lady Lion Trainer with John Robinson's Circus in Portsmouth May 5.

Mrs. Wrigley Here.

Mrs. Zeke Wrigley, of Columbus, arrived in the city Sunday and joined her husband, who is piloting the Chillicothe Babes.

La France SHOE for WOMEN

Are You Punishing your feet?—do they suffer every minute you wear ordinary shoes? When at rest, then, to slip your feet into a pair of

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Resolve now that the next time you are down town you will come here and try on a pair of these stylish and comfortable shoes.

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WILL SHOOT OIL WELL SOON

W. W. Grove, well known oil prospector, formerly of Jamestown, N. Y., now a resident of Columbus, arrived here Monday evening to begin preparations for resuming operations in the local field.

Mr. Grove has completed all arrangements for "shooting" the 500-foot test well on the William Dorman farm, north of the city. The shells have arrived and the high explosives are on the way. The expert "shooter," who has been engaged to do the work, is expected from Oil City, Pa., Wednesday. The well will be "shot" with 60 quarts of nitro-glycerine. The highest quantity previously used by Mr. Grove in any well here was 20 quarts. He is experimenting, and if he finds the well stands the above all right, will use a still greater amount of explosives in other wells to be put down this summer.

House Cleaning Horrors.

The time for the great annual round-up of dirt of all kinds, microbes and all that are obnoxious to the cleanly housekeeper is about at hand. It is a hard piece of work and means tired heads and hands, fagged out mentally and bodily.

Hewitt's Easy Task Soap will reduce this work one-half and make the home brighter than ever. It is as good for woodwork as for bed linen, lace curtains, porcelains, dishes and all that is washable. Five cents a cake.

Frame Work Is Completed

The frame work for part of the shed which will contain the new jobbing mills at the steel plant is up. The shed when completed will extend from the west end of the main mill shed clear to Ohio avenue and will make the steel plant the longest structure in this section.

SEEKS PART OF PENSION

Mrs. Susan Hoover, of New Boston, who has just learned the whereabouts of her first husband, Jasper Vanduzen, who mysteriously disappeared sixteen years ago, as told in Saturday's Times, is preparing to bring suit to recover half of his pension. Vanduzen is now at Grove, Louisiana, where he married a widow named Minnie Bonelle, who had four children.

In the Wake of the Measles.

The little son of Mrs. O. B. Palmer, Little Rock, Ark., had the measles. The result was a severe cough which grew worse and was so severe he could not sleep. She says: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound completely cured him and he has never been troubled since." Croup, whooping cough, measles coughs all yield to Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The genuine is in the yellow package. Refuse any substitute. Fisher & Streich.

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Platform Is Unique; Walter Bagby Named

Columbus, Ohio, May 2.—The Socialist party will go into the campaign of municipal elections next fall with a platform advocating a dozen and one radical changes in the present city government.

The platform, adopted Sunday, at the state Socialist convention, includes planks for the initiative and referendum, the recall, eight-hour day, parks for laboring people, free text-books in the public schools, rigid enforcement of the drastic tenement and building code, improvement of sewers, elimination of the contract system and employers' liability laws.

The convention finally settled the Dayton controversy by submitting the expulsion of the local to a referendum vote.

Five nominees were put in the field for the position of state secretary to succeed G. A. Storck, of Columbus. They are: J. C. Schawe, of Columbus; L. A. Zitt, of Cincinnati; Edward Smith, of Warren; W. M. Ralston, of Fostoria, and F. E. Vernia, of East Liverpool. The following were nominated for places on the state executive committee: James Henderson, of Columbus; Dan McCartain, of Coshocton; Anna K. Storck, of Lorain; Josephine Bates, of Toledo; Margaret Prevy, of Akron; Edward L. Schmidt, of Newark; Robert Johnson, of Piqua; Walter Bagby, of Portsmouth; S. W. Custer, of Marietta; John V. Vurelman, of Lockland; C. E. Lutkenburg, of Cleveland; J. F. Dennison, of New Philadelphia, and John S. Williard, of Cleveland.

Want Their Avenue Paved

All the property owners on Grimes avenue with two exceptions want it paved and a petition for the improvement will be presented to council at its next meeting. With the paving there is no superior to the avenue as a residential place.

WILL LEAVE FOR SOUTH

Miss Vesta Titus, a popular local young lady, will leave for Sonora, Mexico, where she will make her home with her father, S. A. Titus, a very wealthy resident of that place. Mr. Titus has been located there the last nine years. Miss Titus' many friends will be sorry to have her go.

TAKEN TO ASYLUM

Sheriff J. D. Williams, of Adams county, arrived here from West Union Monday night with Henry B. Downing, an aged retired farmer, whom he was taking to the Athens asylum. Downing is from the vicinity of Peebles.

Operations A Success

J. Milt. Williams, veteran Otway liveryman, was, Monday, removed from Hempstead hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis a few days ago, to his home at Otway.

Mr. Williams is mending nicely from the effects of the operation.

Enroute Home.

Henry Shields and nephew, Tom Shields, passed through the city Saturday enroute to their home on Pond Run from a several days' business visit at Barden, Otway and Mineral Springs.

The big fire on Jefferson street south of Second occurred 14 years ago today.

FREE SAMPLE OF LAXATIVE CURED THEIR CONSTIPATION

When a person has become discouraged through years of failure to find a cure, and finally, perhaps, gives up trying, it is small wonder that he becomes skeptical. And yet to all who have constipation, we would say, "Try just one thing more."

We wish you would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a laxative tonic that has been used for a generation. Thousands are using it; surely some of your friends among the number. You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, but better still, send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will send you enough to convince you of its merits, and then if you like it you can buy it of your druggist. Mr. J. J. Petty of Unionville, Mo., Mr. George W. Zimmerman of Harrisburg, Pa., and many others of both sexes and in all parts of the country first used a sample bottle and now have it regularly in the house.

You will learn to do away with salts, waters and cathartics for these are but temporary relifs while Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is guaranteed to cure permanently. It will train your stomach and bowel muscles so that they will do their work again naturally without outside aid. Cast aside your skepticism and try Syrup Pepsin.

Dr. Caldwell does not feel that the purchase of his remedy ends his obligation. He has specialized in stomach, liver and bowel diseases for over forty years and will be pleased to give the reader any advice on the subject free of charge. All are welcome to write him. Whether for the medical advice or the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 501 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

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Roxbury Tapestry Rugs 9x12 ft. $19.00 value reduced to $16.50

EXTRA SIZE RUGS.

Knox Velvet Rug 11-3x12 ft. $25.00 value reduced to $21.50

Roxbury Tapestry Rug 11-3x12 ft. $25.00 value reduced to $21.50

Special low prices on hearth Rugs in Velvets and Axminster.

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SECOND AND MARKET STREETS.
Bell Phone 439 W. Home Phone No. 120.

Typewriter Repairman.

H. D. Parker of Ashland, Ky. Representing the Park City Typewriting Exchange will be in this city every Wednesday with headquarters at the Brandau Book & Stationery Co., Third & Chillicothe. All work guaranteed. Leave all calls with Brandau and same will have immediate attention. 25-tf

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For Fire Protection.

Home Phone 104. Bell 411

For Your Baby's Sake

buy a WAGNER Quick Folding Go-Cart.

We have in stock a full line of new models. Come in and examine them.

The WAGNER opens or closes automatically with one movement of the handle.

It is roomy and comfortable for the child in any position. Soft, flexible springs under the seat.

The WAGNER is safe. Seat so placed that it can't tip backward. Safety brake holds cart anywhere when left alone.

The WAGNER is the handsomest cart made. Built on graceful lines, beautifully finished in nickel and enamel, upholstered in best quality leatherette.

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Prompt and Careful Attention
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31 West Second Street
Phone X-1333

NOTICE

For first class electrical work, fixture hanging and repair work, have George Carroll 1601 Franklin Ave. Home phone Y-1206.

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28 West Fifth Street.
.... Electrical Contractors ....
..Repairs made on all kinds of.. ..... machinery. .....
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Babbit Metals, lace leather, steam hose, etc. gas fitting, installing, heating apparatus, Blacksmithing.

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SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE AT UNMATCHABLE PRICES.

WOMEN'S SUITS

Handsome spring suits, latest models and fabrics. Well tailored. We have put the knife deep into them to clean up. Only two prices on entire lot.

$12.50 to $15.00 Suits. Choice $7.98

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WOMEN'S DRESSES

Serges, Taffetas, Messalines and Foulards, Lace Yokes and Sleeves. $10.00 to $18.00 Dresses. Choice entire lot $7.75

Even though we are closing out suits and dresses, alterations on same will be free and fit guaranteed.

Children's Dresses, ages 4 to 16 years. Ginghams, Percales and Linens ..... 48c and up

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Taffeta Silk Petticoats. All shades. Choice $1.69

Black Imitation Heatherbloom Skirts. Deep ruffle. Special 35c

Women's Wash Dresses. Special prices.

WAISTS, WAISTS

Without doubt the greatest bargains ever offered in Wash Waists.

Lot No. 1—White Lawn Waists, Lace Yokes and Lace trimmed only 29c

Lot No. 2—White Lawn Waists, full embroidery front 39c

Not No. 2.—Handsome Linene Waists tucked and stitched $1.25 value 39c

Lot No. 3.—Fine sheer Batiste Waists in white or black. $2.50 value 69c

Lot No. 4.—Tailored Waists in Black or White. All pure linen. Choice $3.50 values 98c

Fine Lawn Waists, Black, Handsomely embroidered. $2.00 values 75c

New R. & G. Corset models.

All Dress Skirts at special prices.

Voiles, Panamas, Serges, Mohairs and novelty fabrics.

Souvenir book of Peerless Portsmouth given every lady visiting this department Tuesday.

Interesting Prices Throughout the Store,
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Capital and Surplus $100,000.00
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EXCURSION $1.65

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Leave Portsmouth 4:00 a. m.; arrive at Cincinnati 7:20 a. m. Returning, leave Cincinnati at 8:30 p. m.; arrive at Portsmouth 11:35 p. m.

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Aurora Lodge will meet Wednesday evening, May 3rd, for work in the Master Mason Degree and on Thursday evening, May 4th for work in the Entired Apprentice Degree.

WANTED.

WANTED:—Girl for general house work in Scioto ville. Home phone 2405. 26-6

WANTED:—Young lady 18 yrs. of age for clerical position. Good opportunities for advancement. Ask for Mr. Moorhead, The Selby Shoe Co. 29-3

WANTED:—To trade organ good as new for cow. Inquire 811 Murray St. 29-3

NOTICE—We will remove from your premises dead horses, cows and hogs **free of charge;** same, however, must be whole, skins and tails left on. Home phone 337. Bell phone, Main 22. The Portsmouth Chemical Co. -o-o-d

NOTICE:—For house raising, brick and stone masonry, cement work, see J. C. Scott, 51 Mill St. 29-6

WANTED:—Girl to do house work. Three in family. Apply at 9 W. 6th. 29-2

WANTED:—Boarders at 171 E. 11th. 29-10

WANTED:—Girl at 160 E. 2nd. 21-tf

WANTED: Cows to pasture in Scioto ville. Home phone 2405. 26-6

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home Phone 490. 20-tf

WANTED:—To clean your carpets and rugs. We get all the dust and germs out of your carpets or no pay. W. Stevie, proprietor, 15 years practical experience in the carpet business. Phone 807. Goods called for and delivered. Sanitary Carpet Cleaning Co. 10-tf

LEARN AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS:—Home lessons. $25.00 weekly job guaranteed, $10 weekly while learning. Rochester Auto School, 1520 Rochester, N. Y. 5-tf

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WANTED:—Paper hanging and paper cleaning to do. Al Reiniger. Home phone Y-1267. 3-tf

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected, large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co. Rooms 3 and 4 Dice Bldg. Home phone A-1335. Cut this out.

WANTED:—For U. S. Army, able bodied unmarried man between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 603 Chillicothe St., Portsmouth, O. 2-155

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WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. E. G. Nave, 165 E. 9th. 2-3

WANTED:—We want one live, experienced sales agent in each town where we are not represented, to handle our fast selling 25c household necessity. Repeats. Permanent. Particulars free. Full size package mailed for five two cent stamps. Famol Products Co., Inc. 332 Famol Bldg., Washington, D. C. 1-3

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WANTED:—Financial Agent of good standing to sell 7 per cent. stock to investors of an Ohio Steel Mill. Big proposition for the right man. S. G. Fleming, 705 Mercantile Library Bldg., Cincinnati, O. 1-6

WANTED:—Organizer for The Knights and Ladies' Security, a Fraternal Beneficiary society which has long passed the experimental stage. Home office Topeka, Kansas. Membership over 100,000. Reserve and surplus fund $2,000,000. 1900 councils. Paid beneficiaries over 7,000,000 in 18 years. First class contract given to men or women, who are good producers of good, honest business only, and no others need apply. For further particulars write to Val Semmelbeck, 108 W. 2nd St., District Manager. 1-3

WANTED:—Our patrons to know that our telephone number 490 was left out of the new Directory by mistake. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare and Klingman. 1-3

WANTED:—Carpentering, jobbing and contracting, large or small. C. W. Clevenger, 107 E. 9th. Phone 554. 1-6

WANTED:—Single lady to loan me $25,000, on my 2000 acre tenement farm in northern Iowa. Has 10 set of buildings. Will give first mortgage and best reference. Write Box 75, Sioux City, Iowa. 1-2

WANTED:—Two unfurnished rooms downstairs near Selby Shoe factory. Call Home phone Y-1328 1-2

WANTED:—Paper hanging to do. All work guaranteed. J. W. Nethercutt. Home phone A-1166. 1-6

WANTED:—Competent girl or woman for house work. No washing. 72 W. 8th. 1-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Second hand rubber tired cut under surrey. Good condition. 144 E. 2nd 2-3

FOR SALE:—Horse at 901 W. 8th. 2-6

FOR SALE:—5 room alley house on Highland Ave., and fine building lot. Inquire 1429 McConnell Ave. 18-tf

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Cincinnati, O. 29-6

FOR SALE—Stereotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times Office.

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Thirty-seven foot lot on hill, street paved. Price $7.50. Modern 6 room 2 story house on Franklin avenue. Good 6 room house on East Eighth street, water, gas, cellar and cistern. Nice location. $1900. Five room cottage with bath on Grandview avenue.

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FOR SALE: 84 acre farm $800. Abundance of fruit. Apply to L. A. Ellis, Hill Top Engine House. 2-3

FOR SALE:—81 acres on West Side along Galena pike between Union Mills and Old Town church, 2 miles from Portsmouth. Choicest tract in Scioto county for building sites or farming. Also 48 acres choice Scioto Bottom corn land near Tow Path on Malone Island. See Emory Evans, Union Mills Road, R. D. No. 1. 2-5

FOR SALE:—Horse, Andy Wolf. Home phone A-470. 1-3

FOR SALE:—My property at Gephart Station; including farm of 120 acres, with good house and outbuildings, store buildings 20x50, 2 stories with 7 room dwelling connected; 5 cottages of 3 and 4 rooms; also $2000 stock of merchandise. Will sell or any part. For particulars call on or address F. M. Colegrove, R. D. No. 1, Wheelersburg, O. Home phone 4 on 3, Wheelersburg Exchange. 20-12

FOR SALE:—Lew Fisher home on Chillicothe pike, 4 miles from city. Phone A-1092. 19-tf

FOR SALE:—One folding bed. Apply 213 E. 9th. 27-tf

FOR SALE:—Or Trade, farm, 3 miles north of city, 26 acres, with 8 room house. Good outbuildings. Phone B-1065. 1-tf

FOR SALE:—8 room house with bath, steam heat, gas and electric lights. Best location in city. H. W. Donaldson, Timmonds Ave. Home phone B-278. 24-tf

FOR SALE:—One nice 3 year old cow. Call at No. 20 Union St. 27-tf

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FOR SALE:—Household goods cheap at 20 E. 12th. 2-3

FOR SALE:—New 18 foot 2½ horse power launch. $75.00. P. McAfee. Call at R. S. Prichard's. 2-3

FOR SALE:—Rug and Linoleum almost new. Cheap if sold at once. Inquire at 809 Washington St. 1-3

FOR SALE:—Bay horse, weight 1200. Price $100. 821 Court. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Driving mare gentle and perfectly safe at 553 E. 5th. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Good cow at 737 E. 9th. 29-3

FOR SALE:—Launch in good condition cheap, at 28 W. 3rd. 29-6

FOR SALE—Or trade, one model F. Buick 5 passenger car, one Ford runabout, two passenger, first class running order. P. H. Harsha. 29-3

PUBLIC SALE:—The Wheeler farm on Powellsville pike, four miles from Wheelersburg, O. To be sold in two tracts, one 50, other 166 acres. Sale to be made on premises at 10 o'clock Saturday, May 13. 1-2-3tw

FOR SALE: Baby carriage at 231 E. 11th. 1-3

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—4 room flat, Gallia St., opposite fire department; also 4 room house at 14th and Kinney Sts. See J. A. Maxwell. 2-2

FOR RENT:—Modern 8 room house near business center of city. See Dr. Haldermann. 2-3

FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear of 488 Highland avenue. Water, gas and newly papered. Rent cheap. 2-2

FOR RENT:—2 rooms for light house keeping. Apply at 229 E. 9th. 2-3

FOR RENT:—5 room house at Terminals. Call 721 Washington St. 2-5

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with or without board. 721 Washington. 2-5

FOR RENT:—House in rear of 1021 Offnere, none but respectables people need apply. 1-3

FOR RENT: Furnished room for light housekeeping, suitable to lady. 713 John 29-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 24 E. 8th. 28-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms at 121 W. 3rd. 26-3

FOR RENT:—One nicely furnished front room and two rooms suitable for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished, with all modern conveniences. Apply at 416 Gallia St. 29-4

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms with bath at 218 E. 3rd. 29-4

FOR RENT:—5 room 2 story house. Gas and water. Good cellar. Rent $14.00. Inquire Brasie's Grocery, 398 E. 8th. Home phone X-329. 26-tf

FOR RENT:—Desirable flat in the Wilhelmetta. To be vacant May 1. Call on C. S. Miller, Room 28, Turley Building. 28-tf

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FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with bath and gas, 260 E. 11th. 10-tf

FOR RENT:—Room with water and gas. Apply 1022 Chillicothe St. 1-tf

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Tottering "Boy In Blue" Admits That He Sold His Vote

THE MARKETS

OPENING

Chicago, May 2.—Wheat, May, 92 to 92 ⅜; July, 88 ¼; Sept., 87 ¾ to 87 ⅞.

Corn, May, 53 ⅛ to 53 ¼; July 52 ⅞; Sept., 53 ¾ to 53 ⅞.

Oats, May 31 ⅞ to 32; July, 31 ¼ and ¾ to 32 ¼; Sept., 32.

CLOSE

Chicago, May 2.—Wheat, May, 95; July, 89 ¼; Sept., 88 ⅜.

Corn, May, 53 ¾; July, 53; Sept. 53 ¾.

Oats, May, 32 ⅜; July, 32 ¼; Sept., 32.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.
(By United Press.)

Chicago, May 2.—Hogs, receipts 11000 head, market steady; mixed, $5.75 to $6.10; good, $5.90 to $6.00; light, $5.75 to $6.15; pigs, $5.60 to $6.05.

Cattle, receipts 2000 head, market steady; beeves, $5.40 to $6.45; cows and heifers, $2.40 to $5.65; stockers and feeders, $4.00 to $5.45; calves, $4.00 to $6.75.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 15,000 head, market slow, $3.00 to $4.00; lambs, $4.25 to $6.10.

Pittsburg, May 2.—Cattle, receipts light, fair, market steady.

Sheep and lambs, receipts light, market strong.

Hogs, receipts light, market active and higher; prime, $6.05 to $6.15; medium, $6.45 to $6.50; heavy yorkers, $6.45 to $6.50; light yorkers, $6.50 to $6.60; pigs, $6.50 to $6.60.

Grandma Kerns Dead.

Mrs. Anna Kerns, one of the pioneer colored women of Portsmouth, who are affectionately called "Grandma" by her many friends and acquaintances passed away Tuesday afternoon. The final summons came at the home of her son, Shepard Kerns. Mrs. Kerns, who was 86 years old, leaves two sons and one daughter, Robert and Shepard and Mrs. Grant Johnson. Her husband died over 30 years ago. The funeral services will be held some time Thursday.

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In Portsmouth, Thursdays and Fridays. Office 98 E. Second street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Plenty of ashes or cinder suitable for sidewalks. Call 225, J. E. Flannigan. 1-3t

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FOR RENT: Furnished rooms for light house keeping at 152 E. 9th. 2-tf

LOST

LOST:—String of gold beads somewhere between 3rd and Offnere down 9th to 2nd Presbyterian church. Reward for return to 272 E. 9th. 1-2

Real Estate!

FOR SALE AT SCIOTOVILLE.

200 fine building lots in Long Meadow, north of Sciotoville. 10 minutes walk from car line. This beautiful suburb is level and dry; its altitude is 50 feet higher than the highest point in Sciotoville, which it overlooks with a splendid view.

One house and lot 30 foot on Main street for $700.00.

One house and 60 foot lot on Main street, near Postoffice for $1600.00.

One vacant 34-foot lot on Main street, for $500.00.

Several lots on Harrisonville pike in village from $200.00 to $400.00 each. Other desirable lots and property for sale.

FRANK L. SIKES,
Phones:—House, No. 871.
Bell No. 203-R.
Room 215, Masonic Temple

Central Is Winner

Bids were opened at the city auditor's office Tuesday noon on $6000 sewer construction bonds.

The Central National bank was the highest bidder offering a premium of $25.60 and the finance committee decided to recommend the sale of the issue to that concern. Other bidders were: The Security Savings and Trust company $21.50, the First National bank $23.75, Attorney W. B. Grice $21, the Davies-Bertram company of Cincinnati $12.25, Seasongood and Mayer of Cincinnati $5, the New First National bank of Columbus $5.

Her Toolsies Scalded

Miss Mary Anderson, a cook at the White Bear hotel, upset a pot of boiling water Tuesday morning severely scalding her feet.

To Join Stuart Set.

Lafe Bishop will leave in a few days to join S. H. Dudley's "Smart Set" company. Lafe is a well known colored porter with theatrical tendencies.

ALL GROCERS HANDLE MAGNOLIA FLOUR.

31 Lots For Sale, 31 Lots!

On Grandview Avenue and Summit Streets. Best bargains in Lots offered on the Hill. Now is the time to buy. While the price is low. No building restrictions; can give terms to suit. Every lot a bargain. One more house left for some one, 4 rooms bath complete for $1650.

Also 6 room cottage on East Fifth street between Waller and Union. Bath, basement, attic, sanitary connections. 6 room cottage on Timmonds Ave. Bath, basement, attic. We'll take a lot in as part pay. Both new and ready to move in.

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300 Masonic Temple.

Though he maintained his integrity for 72 years, fought for his country in many a battle where life blood flowed freely as water, William Briggs of Nile township, at last yielded to the proffer of money for his vote last fall and on Tuesday tottered into court to confess to Judge Blair.

As he limped into the clerk's office to find Judge Blair, he presented a forlorn and sad appearance. That part of his face that was visible through a heavy white beard bore plainly the marks of an unsuccessful fight. Over his heavy silver locks he wore a slouched black hat and over his blue overalls and coat of jeans was an old tattered overcoat that had braved many a storm. His shoes were of heavy cow's hide. In his hand he carried a long stick that no only served the purpose of helping him when he walked but furnished him a support on which to lean his withered body when standing.

Approaching the clerk, he asked if Judge Blair was in. The clerk informed him that he was not and that he would not be in until Wednesday. He looked very much worried and after a few minutes spent in meditation told the clerk that he had come all the way from Nile township to enter his plea of guilty to selling his vote at the last election and to receive the punishment that was to be his.

Clerk Adams told him that he could file his plea of guilty in writing as others had done and it would be satisfactory with the court, providing he paid the costs, $9.40.

"Well, Mr. Clerk," said he, "I am guilty and want to enter my plea as such but it will be impossible for me to pay the costs at this time. I have nothing excepting my pension of $12 a month and it is all gone by the time it is due. I cannot pay a cent until June 20 when I get my next draw."

The clerk agreed to accept his terms.

Briggs said that a fellow had just dropped the money in his pocket and though he did not mean to sell his vote he was technically guilty. He has a blind wife and a 19-year-old daughter to support.

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OBITUARY

Royse.

Local relatives and friends were greatly shocked Monday evening of the sudden death at Indiana Harbor, Ind., of Mrs. Eliza Keyser-Royse, wife of Carpenter Tom Royse, until recently of this city.

Mrs. Royse and her husband had gone from here to Indiana Harbor only a week ago Sunday chiefly at the earnest solicitation of their son, Ralph, who has been located there for some time. He believed the change would benefit his mother. She had been suffering with lung trouble for some time past.

Mrs. Royse was 55 years of age and born and reared in this city. The late Abner Keyser was her brother and the only living sister is Mrs. Margaret Kennemun of Musselman, Ross county. Children surviving her are: Ralph, John and Myerle of Indiana Harbor, Mrs. Ethel Cook, wife of Robert Cook of this city, Mrs. Pearl Donaldson, wife of Dee Donaldson of this city and Mrs. Grace Pick, wife of Ernest Pick of Carey's Run.

Mrs. Royse was a faithful member of the Christian church and Daughters of Rebecca.

The remains are expected to arrive here from Chicago Wednesday morning and the funeral will probably take place Thursday.

Chase.

As a shock to relatives and friends came news of the death in Colorado of Mrs. Esther Chase, aged and venerable mother of Rev. Freeman W. Chase, pastor of the Free Will Baptist church.

The word came in a telegram received by the well known East End minister Monday evening and according to the message the end had been very sudden though no particulars were given, heart failure it is thought was the cause of death.

Mrs. Chase died at the home of her sons, Herman and Leslie, ranch owners of near Wray, Col., whom with her husband, John Chase, she had been visiting, having gone there from here a month ago to spend the summer.

Mrs. Chase was 78 years of age. Her maiden name was Wyne and she was the last surviving member of her family. Born and reared in Meigs county, O., and greater part of her life was spent in that section. Last year the old family homestead was sold and Mrs. Chase and husband spent the winter with their son here. She had frequently visited the sons who were settlers in their particular locality in the western state. She was a life long member of the Free Will Baptist church and a good Christian woman. Besides the husband and sons she also leaves one daughter, Mrs. Viola J. Chase of Colorado Springs, who married a distant relative, R. J. Chase. Rev. Mr. Chase left on an afternoon train Tuesday for the West as burial will take place near the home of the sons there.

Graff.

Mrs. James Graff, an aged and highly esteemed resident of Haverhill, passed away Saturday at her home, at the advanced age of 72 years. Her health had been fairly good considering her age and she was working about the house Saturday when seized with apoplexy, which resulted in her death at 10 o'clock that night.

She was one of the most beloved elderly ladies in that locality, being not only a loving and devoted wife and mother, but also a kind and considerate friend. Her husband, who is the mail carrier at Haverhill, one daughter, Mrs. Alice Seely and Charles Graff of Haverhill and several sons who reside in the West survive her.

The funeral arrangements will not be completed until word is received from her children out West.

Lafayette Patton.

Lafayette Patton, who resides at the corner of Tenth and Gay streets, is in Wellston, attending the funeral of his brother, David Patton, who passed away Sunday, following a short illness with pneumonia.

Mr. Patton was 49 years of age and is survived by a wife and five children. He was employed as a teamster at Wellston where he had resided practically all his life. He has visited in this city several times and was pretty generally known in Portsmouth.

John McCoy.

John McCoy, aged Greenlawn Heights man, who died Friday and was buried Monday had been a citizen of Portsmouth since 1872 when he came here from Manchester. For many years he was employed at the Gaylord rolling mill and afterwards he worked at the carpenter trade.

He was a native of England, having been born in that country Jan. 7th, 1838, being more than 73 years old at the time of his death.

His father, John McCoy, who was an English soldier, joined the Union army on coming to America and lost his life at the battle of Shiloh.

Mr. McCoy had been in feeble health for six years and his death was caused from a complication of diseases. Besides the six sons who acted as pall bearers as told in another part of this paper his aged widow and helpmate and three daughters, Mrs. Lydia Brown, Portsmouth; Mrs. Jennie Litchfield, Cincinnati and Miss Margaret, at home survive. The following out of town relatives attended the funeral, John McElmurray and wife, of Ashland, and William McElmurray, of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Mary A. Reed.

The body of Mrs. Mary A., wife of Philip Reed, former citizens of Scioto county is expected to arrive here Tuesday night via the N. & W. from Cincinnati and will be taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Cook, 1027 Chillicothe street. The remains will be taken to Friendship Wednesday for burial.

Mrs. Reed died Sunday at her home at Indiana Harbor, Ind.

ANKLE IS SPRAINED

Mrs. Cora L. Bailey, of 18 West Sixth street, suffered a painful injury late Monday afternoon when her ankle gave way throwing her to the pavement making a bad sprain. She was on her way to do some shopping when the accident happened. Dr. Fetter was called to attend her.

Frank Sommer, of Carey's Run, Saturday, purchased a fine four-year-old Western draft horse of Brokaw & Lyons. William Cole, of the West Side, also bought a horse of the same parties.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Alice McIntosh and children have returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Eliza Ross and family of Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hastings of Ironton have returned home after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hastings of Sciotoville.

Mrs. Frank H. Williams charmingly entertained the Modern Priscillas this afternoon at her pretty home on East Ninth street. Art needle work and dainty refreshments served by the hostess were the pleasures. The following were honored guests Mesdames J. T. Carey, John Kenrick, Chas. S. Robertson, Archibald Summerville; Miss Louise Dinsmore and Mrs. Edgar G. Wilson of Wheelersburg.

The Cheerful Kensington club met in regular session this afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Roy Rice on East Seventh street.

Mrs. Ruhlman was the only visitor. Sewing and dainty refreshments were the pleasures. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Mary Riggs on Robinson avenue.

Mrs. Adolph Glockner is entertaining the Matron and Maid club this afternoon at her home on West Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wymer of Offnere street, have as guests, Mrs. Geo. Wymer, Jr., and Mrs. Wm. McCall and daughter, Charlotte, all of Avondale, Cincinnati.

The marriage of Miss Clara Born, of Wheelersburg, and Mr. William Walters, a prominent farmer residing on the Boulevard, will be solemnized at 6:30 Wednesday morning at St. Mary's church, Father Gloeckner officiating.

Miss Retta Kelley, of East Fourth street, will entertain the T. C. C's. Thursday evening of this week.

The Second street Whist club enjoyed a delightful afternoon at the home of Mrs. Levi D. York on Rose Ridge. Mrs. Milton Longfellow and Mrs. James Newman substituted in the absence of two of the members. After the game, a dainty repast was served at the tables.

The Kaffee Klatch meets on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Strauss on West Second street.

Miss Emily Connell will entertai the Young Ladies' Sewing club on Friday of this week.

Mrs. Frank Alger will be hostess for next week's meeting of the Tuesday club.

Mr. J. C. Barber, of Center street, is confined to his home with ill health.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Grandview avenue Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon in business session, at the church. Refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Alice Livingston of Ironton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Williams of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mahle, who came to attend the funeral of the late Mr. John H. McCoy have returned to their home in Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Gerlach have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Carrie Olive to Mr. Clinton Scott Hancock, Saturday, April the twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at Portsmouth, O. At home after May fifteenth, at 102 East Fourth street.

The Modern Stitchery Club met Monday evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth O'Rourke on North Chillicothe street and instead of the usual program of sewing and music, Miss O'Rourke entertained the girls with a theater party. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Edna Bate on West Third street.

Miss Alice Bisbe's [illegible] club met in regular session Monday night at the home of Miss Ada Obrist. After the practice light refreshments were served. The place for the next meeting will be announced later.

Miss Alice Johnston is detained from school, suffering with an attack of malarial fever.

The session of the Second Presbyterian church held an important business meeting, Monday evening at the chapel.

Mrs. Larsh, matron of the Old Ladies' Home, wishes to extend many thanks on behalf of the Home to the Modern Woodmen for the enjoyable trip on the Island Queen Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bowman will deliver her lecture on "The Tabernacle" on Wednesday evening, 7 o'clock, at the Second Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Youngman of East Eleventh street, and Mr. Adam Youngman returned Monday evening from a brief visit to Beaver, where they went to attend the birthday dinner of their brother, Jacob Youngman, who celebrated his sixty-eighth birthday anniversary Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Evans, of Bond street, left Monday for South Webster, where she will spend a week with her father W. J. Mossbarger.

Mrs. C. I. Cheyney, wife of Chief Clerk Cheyney of the N. & W. Terminals, is in Columbus, the guest of relatives and friends. She will return home Saturday.

The King's Daughters the class of Miss Nellie Wendelken of the German M. E. Sunday school recently met at the home of Miss Ethel Cross of Vinton avenue. After a short business session the hostess was assisted by Miss Verna Scott of Findlay street, in serving ice cream and cake. Those present were, Nellie Wendelken, Ethel Rau, Helen Rau, Ethel Cross, Ora Locher Clara Lindsey, Edna Griver, Loraine Rheinhardt, Bertha Clausing and Verna Scott.

The next meeting will be held the third Friday in May at the home of Miss Ora Locher on West Third street.

Councilman and Mrs. William Cook, who, for the past few months, have been touring the West, left Los Angeles Tuesday for San Francisco.

Mrs. John Zeisler, Sr., of East Third street, has returned from a visit to her son, Henry Zeisler at Chillicothe.

Mrs. Lucy Guthsell, of East Fourth street, has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Columbus.

Miss Tillie Dearford has taken a position as sales girl at the Bragdon Dry Goods store.

Mrs. Henry Nageleisen, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Adam Hellman, 55 East Seventh street, has returned to her home at Camp Arion.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Born on West Tenth street, the marriage of Miss Emma Messmer and Mr. Frank Schfartz, of Waynesboro, Va., was solemnized at 1 o'clock, Rev. George Freund officiating. The happy couple left this afternoon for Waynesboro, Va., where the groom is employed as a molder in a large foundry. There is a tinge of romance connected with the wedding, as Mr. Schwartz and Miss Messmer were sweethearts a number of years ago. Mr. Schwartz in the meantime having moved away and married another girl who died several years ago, leaving one little boy.

O. M. Coburn, of 1309 Spring avenue, was agreeably surprised on Tuesday upon receiving word of the marriage of his youngest son, F. H. Coburn, to Miss Ethel Dugan, of Chicago. The wedding occurred last Saturday in Detroit, Mich., where the bridegroom conducts a drug business. The wedding is a climax to a pretty romance commenced at the Northwestern University, Chicago, from which both graduated. The newlyweds will reside at Detroit. Mr. Coburn has many friends here who will be surprised to learn of his taking that important step and will hasten to extend congratulations.

Facts With Figures

The management of a certain department store in Columbus, O., opened a savings bank in connection with its store, and by canvass placed in every home possible a steel bank in which the members of the family were to deposit their savings. At the end of [illegible] months a [illegible] called [illegible] created [illegible] In making this canvass the [illegible] of 117 homes visited the results were:

21 homes reported [illegible] per cent. on their deposits.

[illegible] homes did not save [illegible] banks placed.

58 either held building association stock, or was buying stock by installment or deposited with Building and Loan Associations earning 4 and 5 per cent. Why not improve your opportunity as the 58 have? The Portsmouth Savings and Loan Co. pays 5 per cent. interest and principal guaranteed. Our guarantee is backed by first mortgage on improved real estate, which is your assurance of your safety.

[illegible] Opera House [illegible]

Filmore Lorey, of East Seventh street, has returned from Ironton, where he has been spending a few days with friends.

The West Minister Guild of the Second Presbyterian church are planing to give a picnic supper on next Monday evening at the church. Mrs. Chas. Robertson's bible class are expected as guests.

The Y. W. and M. C. A. of the Second Presbyterian church will give a social on Thursday evening in the chapel.

On Monday the Art Circle diverged from their usual program and held an all-day sewing fest at the beautiful home of Mrs. George Appel on Gallia avenue. The ladies assembled about ten o'clock and a sumptuous picnic luncheon was enjoyed on the third floor of the Appel home at noon. At a late hour in the afternoon the club dispersed. Mrs. William Briggs was an honored guest. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Samuel Crawford on the afternoon of May 11th.

The Buckeye Club will meet at the home of Mrs. C. F. Losh, of Court street on Thursday afternoon instead of Wednesday afternoon.

J. E. Carroll, of Hillsboro, spent Sunday here with his family. He returns home Tuesday. Mr. Carroll was in Ashland Sunday, assisting in initiating a class of K. of C. candidates.

Geo. R. Cutter and son Harry spent Sunday with Mrs. Cutter, who is visiting Amanda Cutter at 70 East Ninth street.

Master Harry Cutter, of Jasper, is the guest of Orvil Berthold, of 702 Vinton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harmon and daughter, Miss Marguerite, and Miss Louise, who are located at Jacksonville, Fla., will arrive here next week to be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Lombard, of West Sixth street, and sister, Mrs. Charles Hancock, and other relatives. They will remain here two weeks.

Local St. Mary's of the Springs girls have word that all the Dominican sisters will gather at the mother house this summer, the first time in years. This will afford all former students and opportunity to meet their old teachers and they are invited to do so, and will be made welcome. At present Miss Madaline Augustin and Miss Jean Brashart are pursuing their studies at the Springs and making fine progress.

Mrs. Ben Reigel, of East Ninth street, is expecting Mrs. Clara Miller, of Buena Vista, the latter part of the week.

Miss Emma Davis has closed her school at Bear Creek and is now visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ross, of South Portsmouth.

F. K. S. Club [illegible] Monday from a short [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. David [illegible] who have rented an elegant flat [illegible] Covington. Mrs. [illegible] visit with Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] until the end of the week.

Miss Helen Motley, of Greenup, Ky., arrived today to visit Miss Minta Plummer, of East Fourth street.

The Cereal Club [illegible] Kendall avenue Baptist church held their regular monthly business meeting Monday evening at the home of Mr. [illegible] on North street. [illegible] dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minster after spending the winter with her mother in the East End on account of the latter's poor health are again back at their home on West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ressner, of West Seventh street have as guest Miss Anna Ressner, of Charleston, W. Va.

[illegible] Bond

Hill, Cincinnati, returned home Monday at the end of a visit with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Kardin, of West Seventh street.

The Progress Club met Monday evening in regular session at the Federation rooms, Mrs. Rosanelle Huber and Miss Elizabeth Norris being hostesses. The following program was rendered:

Novelists' Night.

"If you read ten pages of a good book, letter by letter, that is to say with real accuracy, you are forever in some measure an educated person."—Ruskin.

Our Greatest Novelist — General Discussion.

Review of a Recent Novel—Loraine Schlichter.

Two Minute Talks, "William Dean Howells" — Agnes Coburn.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward — Flora McClure.

Music — Vesta Stockham.

A delightful social hour followed the program, when the hostesses served refreshments of cream and cake.

The little tots of the Gay street kindergarten, which is conducted by Miss Minnie Smith, spent the morning with the children of the Jefferson street kindergarten, of which Miss Elizabeth Ricker is teacher.

The Elks are making elaborate preparations for their annual post-Lenten hop, to be given Monday evening, May 8th. The committee in charge are Will Pixley, Karl Zoellner and Horace Small.

The Home Girls' Bible Study class met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Scott on East Second street.

Mrs. Helen Stanton, of East Ninth, who was quite ill, is recovered, but is as yet too weak to leave the house.

Friends of Miss Martha McGuirk of this city, who is of the faculty of the Elk Creek training school, Elk Creek, Va., are in receipt from her of artistic invitations to attend commencement exercises thereof, beginning on the 11th of May. Miss McGuirk, who is head of the music department, has five graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lauter, of Los Angeles, Cal., are expected to arrive here Friday to visit with his mother, Mrs. Barbara Lauter, of West Seventh street.

Mrs. Ben Ridgely, of East Ninth street, will entertain the Thursday Sewing circle at her home next Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louise Wilhelm, McConnell avenue.

Mrs. George Munk, of West Second street, left today for a ten days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bevis, of Garrison, Ky.

Miss Mary Snook, of Wheelersburg, arrived today to be the guest of Mrs. Harriet Salladay, of Court street.

Mrs. Harriet Salladay, of Court street, who met with an accident last August, was out yesterday for the first time. She is now so much improved that she is able to walk without crutches.

Mrs. Albert Pressler and her daughter, Baby Jane, and niece Miss Alma Howe, of Eleventh and Offnere streets, left Saturday on an extended visit to her brother, Dr. C. J. Pressler, at Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Moorehead, of West Seventh street, entertained Sunday at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pontius and daughter, Miss Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Childs, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffords, of West Sixth street.

Mrs. Charles Hancock has received a postal card from her little niece, Mary Lombard, ten years old, stating she made her first communion Easter Sunday. She is attending school at St. Joseph Academy, Jacksonville, Fla., and is making fine progress in her studies. She wrote she and her aunt, Miss Victoria Lombard, have decided to stay there and make that place their future home.

Judge Blair's Bible class of the Second Presbyterian church enjoyed a delightful social evening Monday at the home of Mrs. Ben Reigel on East Ninth street. Mesdames Hitchcock, Van Storer, Hennesy and Will Nageleisen were the committee in charge of this meeting.

During the business session, provision was made for several poor families in the town, to supply them with food until other arrangements can be made. During the evening, refreshments of cream and cake were served to about forty-five guests.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Emma Nodler on East Fourth street.

An interesting feature of the entertainment, and one that caused a great deal of merriment, was the beautiful millinery creation which was worn by Mrs. Bertha Hennesy. To make a long story short, Mrs. Hennesy had mentioned to Mrs. Riegel, shortly before Easter, the fact that she had no Easter bonnet. Mrs. Riegel exerted her artistic powers, and trimmed Mrs. Hennesy a hat, Anderson's delivering the "thing of lovliness" the day before Easter. Well, Mrs. Henesy wore the bonnet to the party last evening, much to the amusement of the company.

Goes to Warren.

George Kiehlman gave up a position as machinist at the telephone factory and left Monday for Warren, O. Owen Burkhart expects to join him there in a few days. They will work for their old foreman, George Munn, formerly of this city.

Had An Escort.

Eugene Bowden, the hobo, who has been caught loitering around town several different times, was escorted to the city limits Monday.

On Official Business.

Supt. R. A. Buckner, of the Southern Express Company, was here from Roanoke on official business Monday.

Max Block, a well known peddler, is mourning the loss of a fine horse that died suddenly Saturday night.

Mrs. A. W. Sheets reopened the Hotel Portsmouth Saturday and now has 19 guests. She anticipates a nice business.

Saunders & Watrons are installing lights in the covered bridge at Sciotoville.

Questions Wise And Otherwise Propounded To Those Who Would Enter the State of Matrimony. Times' Girl Finds Judge Beatty And Ohio Laws Are Embarrassing to a Lone Husband Hunter.

Why Girls Stay Single!

She Has To Tell All About Her Forefathers, Foremothers, And Such Things. Then There Was The Age Question Bobbing Up Also. Altogether It Was a Trying Experience For Any Young Woman.

(By Nina M. Ayers.)

Mercy on us girls! Did you ever stop to think the reason that so many of us are behind counters yelling "Cash, cash" or at the telephone board sweetly saying, "Number please", or smiling at some horrid man across a counter or at—oh, hundreds of other places, when we should be sitting by our own happy firesides with a great big man of our own to take care of?

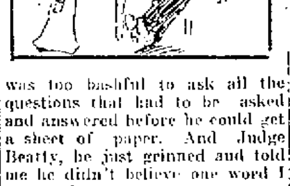
Really girls, did you ever think about it?

Well, I have, and I learned why we are counted by the hundreds, and it is all because of Judge Beatty, and the questions he asks.

Did you ever go after a marriage license?

I did and I don't blame the men for being bachelors if they have to answer all the questions that man asks.

In the first place you feel sort of queer when you go after a marriage document. That is a fact. I walked in Judge Beatty's office on Monday and told him as politely as I could, that I wanted to get a marriage license but the man I was going to marry



was too bashful to ask all the questions that had to be asked and answered before he could get a sheet of paper. And Judge Beatty, he just grinned and told me he didn't believe one word I was saying!

Now do you blame a man for thinking ten times before he asks a girl to marry him? Well, I don't, and it's really up to us to have the laws changed. Of course Judge Beatty apologized for not believing me, after I told him I really wanted a marriage form to look over the questions, but you feel like you would rather not get married than have to look that man in the eye and tell him all the things that must be told before you finally get the document that entitles you to write "Mrs." before your name.

Do you realize what an inquisitive man Probate Judge Beatty is? I bet when that man dies and calls on St. Peter to let him in, he will be refused for no other reason than that he made us tell millions of things about ourselves. Who wants to have the names of their great, great grandfathers spread on a book for the whole world to see? Who wants the whole world to know their ages? And he even asks if you are an imbecile! Now would you marry a man who acknowledged that you or he were an imbecile?

Of course I believe Judge Beatty is at heart, what we girls would call a real, nice man, but I don't blame a man for getting scared white when he enters that door behind which presides a judge who wants to know so awful, awful much. He meets you with a "what-can-I-do-for-you-today" air, and such an air! He straightens up and with his right arm resting gracefully on his left hip, he looks you over until you feel like saying, "Please, Sir, may I go home."

No wonder some men answer: "I am after a death warrant." That's what some call it, girls, and it is all that Judge's fault. He takes out a book and devotes a whole page to your past history. He begins firing questions at the poor man who has dared to ask you to be his wife. In two minutes the man who has dared has told more things than he ever thought himself capable of thinking, letting alone telling.

And who is to blame? Judge Beatty, of course.

There are 999 blank spaces to fill when you go after a license. And the most important of all these 999 questions is "**WHAT IS HER AGE?**" That is what Judge Beatty told me, and, of course, he always insists on the truth.

There is a moral to this story, girls. The only one I can find in it is, that when you are feeling blue and wondering where the right man is, just go down to the court house and ask for Judge Beatty. Then tell him you want a marriage license and after the first two or three hundred questions have been answered if you don't say "Please may I go home and be happy, Judge" I'll miss my guess.

Who is to blame? Why Judge Beatty, of course.

He was real nice about it in his official way. When I went into the court house he was the first man I saw and I asked where I could find Judge Beatty. He

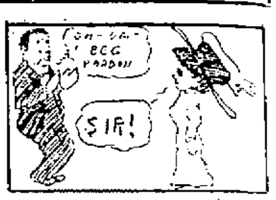
straightened up, in that grand way he has, and after buttoning his coat and smoothing down his hair, he said:

"This is Judge Beatty, what can I do for you today, madam?"

I told him I wanted to see about getting a marriage license and then he almost pounced upon me, and said: "Ha! ha! I know who you are. I don't believe one word you are saying. I have been looking for you for several days."

My first thought was to get out for fear of being pinched but after I said "Sir!" and put on my stoniest stare of indignant innocence I really felt better because he began bowing and telling me that he was SO sorry, but he guessed he was mistaken in the party but he really had been looking for a young lady for several days.

Great gum drop! Who do you



suppose the judge was looking for? Not a newspaper woman, surely.

But all the time I was asking about a license the judge was saying "You don't want a license. I'm on to you", and edging away as though he was ready to call for help. What in the world did he mean?

I thought I had convinced him that I was in earnest but the next question I asked threw him into another spasm and he climbed over the other side of the long table and began telling me that he knew me at last. Just like the real villain does in the play.

Now the only question I asked was: "Judge you have charge of the juvenile court here too, do you not?"

But I can't for the life of me understand why he jumped behind that table and pointed his finger at me in such a threatening way and said: "You certainly are with nice people."

"Yes," I said glibly. "they **are** nice people over at the Sun"—said it just like that with emphasis on the are.

"Er, what's that?" asked the judge. "You don't mean that you're on the stage?"

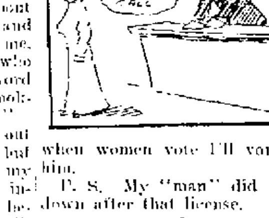
"Well," I said, "I have to act sometimes", and I smiled a sober sort of smile at him that had him guessing again. I could see that.

"You're not here long then?" asked the judge, finally from the security of the other side of his big table.

"Oh, not for long" I said, "but that don't matter does it, judge, when a girl's going to get a husband?"

Judge Beatty stared at this and his deputy sort of grinned. Then he said as he arose: "I guess you had better send the man around this evening. I'll fix him up all right. Good day."

And he bowed me out of the office. He's a dandy, polite official, is Judge Beatty. Some day



when women vote I'll vote for him.

P. S. My "man" did not go down after that license.

With Tracy Company.

Fielding Rowe, of Fullerton, who has been employed at the Selby Company office, Monday, took a position with the Tracy Shoe Company as entry clerk.

Crowds Flocking to The Big Store This Morning--

Speak Assurance of the Success of

The Great 37th Anniversary Sale

We know now that people have been waiting for this sale, we know now that it is just exactly what the people want. And the people know it equally as well as we. Such enthusiasm among customers, such an eagerness to search for the different specials, we have never seen at a sale. And no wonder. Prices are low. Many prices are lower than they have ever been before. Some things are selling below actual cost, but what care we. We are celebrating our Anniversary and all things must work together for the success of the sale at any cost.

Just a word as to our advertisements. We can't possibly advertise all our specials. They are too numerous, but you will find everything marked with a yellow sign containing the reduced price. Many of our best specials are not advertised, because we do not wish them to be imitated by other stores, and this for the benefit of our customers, for while we have specials that other stores would try to equal, they could only equal them in their advertisements, for we have been preparing this gigantic sale of ours for more than two months and it would be impossible for us or any other store to secure such specials in the course of a few days.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Since we are offering many articles at a less price than other stores can buy, we must again insist that we are positively refusing to sell to stores that buy our merchandise to sell again. This sale is for the benefit of our customers ONLY and not for other stores.

The Big Sale Is Now On

The Anderson Bros. Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

The Big Sale Is Now On

BOARD OF TRADE GLAD TO SECURE NEW PLANT

Directors of the Portsmouth Board of Trade met Monday evening with Mr. L. C. Turley and discussed the coming to Portsmouth of the plant of the American Drying Machinery Company, of Philadelphia, mention of which was made in Monday's Times.

The new plant, as stated, is to occupy some of the Portsmouth Machine & Casting Company buildings, on West Third street and is to make dryers, cotton pickers, etc. It will employ a number of skilled mechanics, and as its business is growing rapidly, will soon increase its force. It will mean an important addition to the industrial enterprises of the city.

The coming of the plant was explained full to the board of trade directors by Mr. Turley, President; H. S. Grimes, Mr. George M. Appel and others. Mr. Turley, Mr. Grimes and Mr. Appel, had inspected the company's plant and they, with others of the board, had met Mr. William Miller, of the company, upon the occasion of his visit here.

The directors of the board of trade, cordially approved of the efforts to secure this plant for Portsmouth, and they sent a telegram to Mr. Miller warmly welcoming him and his associates to the city. It is understood that he will be here in a few days and that preparations to move the plant here will be begun at once.

A few changes will have to be made in the buildings the company is to occupy but they will be of a minor nature.

A CORRECTION.

On and after May 3, 1911, a new partnership will be formed by taking another son and brother into the firm, under the firm name of Herman Graf & Sons, partners being Herman Graf, William Graf, and Adolph Graf, manager. All outstanding accounts should be paid to Adolph Graf.

Yours truly
HERMAN GRAF & SON. 2-1

Piano Tuning.
See W. F. Bradford, Also John Church pianos, 31 East Seventh street. 29-3

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Then By All Means Let Us Suow You Our

$15 and $20

New Spring Styles in Suits, Coats and Pants

New Idea Clothing Co's. Suits are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction to the wearer.

New Idea Clothing Co's. Coats are made by expert tailors, not women, they are made by union tailors, they have the label in Coat, Pants and Vests. They are made with a concave coat stay which makes the fronts fit perfectly and retain their shape permanently.

Our Suits at $15.00 and $20.00 are garments "Fit for a King."

HIS MAJESTY, THE AMERICAN GENTLEMAN!

All we ask is a chance to show them to you. We don't urge you to buy.

New Idea Clothing Co.

306 Chillicothe Street.
"The Home of Union Made Clothing."
Evenings ... to 1...

High Jinks Played By the High Wind

The corner of Second and Washington streets, always a breezy spot, was almost impassable Monday because of the high wind and at one time six young women were caught in one heap. They anchored on the iron fence at the Peebles home until they could regain their bearings.

A workman on the new Gilbert building is mourning the loss a dicer, blown from his head during the wind storm Monday afternoon, while he was at work. He scoured the entire vicinity even as far up as police headquarters but the missing headgear was nowhere to be found.

New Waterworks At Waverly Stands Test

Waverly, Ohio, May 2.—(Spl.)—The new water works, which was erected at a cost of $45,000, was given a thorough test Monday and everything worked smoothly and satisfactorily. The mains withstood the 100-pound pressure in fine shape and this village can now boastfully point to its water works as being one of the most modern in the state.

Water will soon be piped into the homes, and the "rain barrel" will be a thing of the past. The immense concrete standpipes are located on the hillside opposite the D., T. & I. depot.

There is a network of mains under the village, and every home will be supplied with soft filtered water. It is one of the biggest improvements the town has ever had and should be the means of a general and long-anticipated awakening in the industrial line.

Woman Is Stricken While Buggy Riding

Mrs. Mary Weatherwax, wife of William Weatherwax, a bricklayer, was suddenly stricken with an attack of heart failure while buggy riding with her husband Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Weatherwax was driving across the corner of Eleventh and Findlay streets when he noticed his wife was making no responses to his queries. Looking around, he saw she was deathly pale and sliding from the seat. He failed to arouse her and whipping up the horse, drove rapidly to his home. A physician was summoned and he succeeded in reviving Mrs. Weatherwax, but she was still in a precarious condition Monday night.

CLARK SEES A. R. JOHNSON

The Irontonian says:

"Philo Clark, of Portsmouth, was in the city "on business" on Monday. Just what the business was could not be learned but it wouldn't be hard to guess. The honorable Philo is said to be very much opposed to the proposed severing of the political lines of Scioto and Lawrence counties and it is easy to be presumed that he came here to consult with his friend, ex-congressman Johnson, regarding methods to prevent such a bill becoming a law."

Breezy Echo Sounds Again

The Echo, the breezy high school publication, was issued Tuesday, and the May number is one of the most attractive and interesting of the school year. It is featured by a fine cover drawing by Richard Tremper, of New York, a picture of the able staff and a pretty romantic story by Carl Graff. The June number will be profusely illustrated with pictures of the faculty and of the school board.

Mrs. Pierron Is Very Ill

Mrs. Theo. Pierron, wife of the deputy state oil inspector, is ill at their home on Court street.

Testify At Columbus

Fred Prediger and Harry Gilen went to Columbus Monday to testify in a case in which the Selby Shoe Company is involved. A consignment of shoes, which they packed, were opened at Circleville.

Mother Is Seriously Ill

Jos. Tatman, a West Second street teamster, was called to McDermott, Sunday, by word that his aged and widowed mother, Mrs. Peter Tatman, had suffered a paralytic stroke. She is almost seventy years old and fears are entertained that she cannot recover.

In Oklahoma City.
Ralph Kelley and Harold Royse two local boys, are now employed in Oklahoma City. They recently left Texas.

New Elevator.
A hand elevator for John Newman's new feed store arrived in the city Monday.

REGARDS HIS CURE AS A MIRACLE

This Illinois Man Had Stomach Trouble and Was Becoming Paralyzed.

Mr. J. F. Bennington, of Dallas City, Ill., regards his cure by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a miracle. He is well known both at Stronghurst, Ill., where he formerly resided and at La Harpe. For years he has been recommending the pills that cured him. He says:

"My stomach trouble, which afflicted me for about two years, began with a general weakness. I didn't have strength enough to hold up my head and could eat nothing but lactated food for over six months, while it was more than a year before I could eat any solid food. I had palpitation of the heart and my breath was short. My left leg and hand gradually became numb and I could not use either for a long time. At first my hand felt full of needles when I closed it; afterwards there was no feeling in it at all. I had many sleepless nights and suffered intensely.

"I doctored at Stronghurst and La Harpe and had two specialists from Chicago, but there wasn't one among the doctors who could tell what my trouble was and their treatments did not help me. My brothers moved me to La Harpe from Stronghurst during my sickness but I had no hopes of ever getting well. I took electric treatment without any help and many medicines with no better result. My home doctor came to see me one morning after he had been treating me for three months and told me that he couldn't do any more for me and that I ought to go to the Springs. But as I couldn't sit up or walk I kept on trying different doctors for eighteen months. When one is sick some one always suggests a remedy and in my case an old lady friend recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to try them. I took them for two weeks, carefully following the directions and at the end of that time began to crave a good meal. My hand and leg got so that I could use them again. I gradually regained my health and weight and have worked as ever from that time. I haven't missed work on account of sickness but two or three days in the last nine or ten years. My cure was certainly a miracle as all my friends and relatives expected to hear of my death."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Sunday School Is In Fine Condition

The officers and teachers of the First Christian Sunday school had a very profitable and pleasant business meeting last night. The reports from the various departments showed the school to be in fine condition. The average attendance for the five Sundays of April was 1092. This was a little smaller than the average for March, which was 1108. The rainy day last Sunday brought the average down.

But the offering made a good showing as for the five Sundays the average was more than $300 a total of over $1500. Every department has a full corps of teachers and officers. Merle Higgins was chosen secretary for the rest of the year.

Some improvements in the way of lockers for the supplies of each separate department were ordered provided at once. An order was drawn on the treasurer for $1000 to be paid on the church debt. Committees were appointed to help with arrangements for the coming state convention. It was a good meeting.

TWO FAST TRAINS WILL BE ADDED

With the completion of the double tracking on this division of the N. & W., it was authentically stated Monday that two of the fastest trains in Ohio would be added to the present N. & W. time card.

They will be through trains from Portsmouth to Roanoke, and will be the speediest trains ever operated by the N. & W. The eastbound train will arrive here about 10:00 a. m. from present indications and the westbound train will leave here at 6:30 p. m., making a fast train east every morning and a fast train north every evening.

General Superintendent George P. Johnson says the trains will be put on just as soon as all the double tracking work is cleared up, which will be about June 20th.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props, Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CONTRACTORS ARRIVING

The advance guard of foreign contractors who are bidding on the new First National Bank building job, began arriving in the city Monday evening.

Among the first arrivals at the Washington hotel were R. R. Kitchen, a contractor of Pittsburg, who is bidding on the whole work. W. W. Ballantine, of Cleveland; William H. Conklin, O. J. Wheeler and W. A. Munger, of Columbus; P. J. Redway and J. J. Weiler, of Cincinnati.

Conners In New Place

Ed Conners, who was until recently sales agent for the Portsmouth Steel company, is reported to have caught on with the U. S. Steel Corporation at Gary, Ind.

Pays For Glass.
After learning that a complaint had been made to the police, John Munyon paid for a window glass he had broken at Winkfield's cigar store in the East End Monday evening.

George Pfeiffer, Undertaker.
Lady Assistant.
Ambulance Service.
Eighth and Chillicothe.
Home Phone 211. Bell 331 R.

New Building.
A fine sketch of the new First National Bank, drawn by Architects Elzner & Anderson, of Cincinnati, is on display at the Kirby ten cent store.

Deposit your money with The Royal Savings and Loan Company—19 Gallia street—and receive four per cent interest compounded every three months. 1-3

Doggie Is Dead.
Fay, the valuable French poodle dog, owned by Mrs. Frank Bassler, died of pneumonia, Monday. Mrs. Bassler has had the pet for five years.

FOR SALE.
One No. 17 Buick 5 passenger. One No. 10 Buick 4 passenger. Less than half price. Box 334, city.

MANY WANT TO HEAR LOCAL MINISTER

E. J. Meacham, pastor of the First Christian church, will deliver four addresses on Sunday school work at Bowling Green, O., on the 16th and 17th of May. He is looked for two addresses in Kansas, Ill., on June 2nd and for three addresses in Francesville, Ind., on June 4th and 5th. He has also been invited to deliver four addresses before the students of Bethany College some time this month, and to speak in Springfield, O., if he can possibly arrange a date before he goes to California.

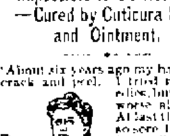
WARNING

K. P.—All members of Massie Lodge, No. 115, are requested to be present Thursday, May 4th. Something doing.
L. ROBERTS, C. C.

Lafayette Jones on Monday sold his old family horse to a Kentucky farmer.

HANDS CRACKED AND PEELED

Tried Many Remedies but Grew Worse—Impossible to Do Housework—Cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment.



"About six years ago my hands began to crack and peel. I tried many remedies, but they grew worse all the time. At last they became so sore that it was impossible for me to do my housework. If I put my hands in water I was in agony; if I tried to cook, the heat caused intense pain. I consulted a doctor, but without the least satisfaction. After about a year of this suffering, I got my first relief when I tried Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. After using them for a week I found to my great delight that my hands were beginning to feel much better, the deep cracks began to heal up and stop running, and in a little while my hands were cured by using only one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment. I am very thankful to say that I have had no return of the skin disease since. I shall be glad if you will publish this so that others may know of Cuticura. Mrs. Minnie Drew, 23 Danforth St., Jamaica Plain, Mass., April 15, 1910."

For thirty years Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have afforded speedy relief to tens of thousands of skin-tortured and disfigured sufferers from eczemas, rashes, itchings, irritations and chafings, from infancy to age, bringing comfort and peace to distracted households when all else failed.

Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the civilized world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston. Mailed free, 32-page Cuticura Book, "How to Care for and Treat the Skin and Scalp."

NOTICE.

Lester Wheeler will take notice that on the 6th day of April, 1911, Lena Wheeler filed a petition for divorce in the Court of Common Pleas, Scioto County, Ohio, for a divorce and restoration to her maiden name of Lena Thompson, and said cause will be for hearing on and after the 29th day of May, 1911.

William R. Sprague,
Attorney.

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Boat Trip Fine One, Cold Affects Crowd

The sudden and unlooked for drop in the temperature affected the attendance on the excursions given Monday on the palatial steamer Island Queen by the degree team of the Modern Woodmen of America. Those who attended had an enjoyable evening.

Three hundred tickets were sold in the afternoon and eight hundred at night. A crowd of almost 400 lined the bank Monday night, but the air was too chilly and they refrained from making the trip.

The boat went up almost as far as Greenup last night and the trip was made in good time. There is an orchestra on the boat, and it furnishes the inspiring strains for dancers.

The Island Queen will take out another excursion next Friday, in charge of the Woodmen's degree team. The committee that arranged the details of the outings on the Ohio is composed of T. C. Patterson, Fred Schwartz, Guy Ackley and Howard Woods.

McDermott Is On the Boom

Harry Larkins has returned from a week's stay at McDermott and reports that village booming. The Selby addition is being graded and the village improving its streets and sidewalks. Frank Waller is erecting a fine new home.

DR. F. C. Goodwin's Dental Office

Is now located in the New Sun Theatre Building. No. 35 Gallia Street, Opposite The Sam'l Horchow Furniture Company.

4-PIANOS-4

We have only four Pianos left out of the large stock we had a week ago, having sold all the rest, at our Great Removal Sale, showing conclusively that the people know bargains when they see them.

If you are going to buy anyway soon, you had better take advantage of this sale, and call at once, as only a few days are left for you, in which to make your selection. Look at the prices on these four Pianos:

$335 Mission Oak now	$225
$450 Burl Walnut now	$315
$450 Mission Oak now	$315
$600 Mahogany now	$400

Also several pianos taken in exchange, as follows:

One Square Piano	$10.00
One Fine Upright Ebony Case for	$125.00
One Organ, suitable for church for	$20.00

Don't miss this chance, as we will arrange to give you all the time that you need to pay for it. Open every evening. Phone salesroom B-1191. Residence X-302.

THE BALDWIN CO.
No. 88 West Second Street.
Floyd E. Stearnes, Rep.
Residence X-302.

A PASSENGER ENGINEER

on the N. & W. has a watch that has not been set in nine months, and in that time has never shown a variation of more than five seconds from the correct time.

His watch was bought of us, and has been repaired by us when ever it needed cleaning. We consider it a pretty good tribute to our watch selling and repairing business, and if you are interested, we will show you his time record, and show you how you can get best watch service for your money.

Albert Zoellner
Jeweler 3d & Chillicothe

Hay's Hair Health

Restores color to Gray or Faded hair—Removes Dandruff and invigorates the Scalp—Promotes a luxuriant, healthy hair growth—Stops its falling out. Is not a dye.

$1.00 and 50c, at Drug Stores or direct upon receipt of price and dealer's name. Send 10c. for sample bottle.—Philo Hay Specialties Co., Newark, N. J., U. S. A.

Hay's Harfina Soap is unequaled for Shampooing the hair and keeping the Scalp clean and healthy, also for red, rough chapped hands and face. 25c. at Druggists.

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Remember the Security remains in your possession.

We arrange your payments so easy for you that you experience no difficulty in meeting your obligation to us.

We will pay all you owe rid you of every debt, the expense is small and we require only that you pay us a very small sum each pay day.

We ask for no references, no endorsers, neither is it necessary that you own Real Estate or deposit any collateral.

If unable to call at the office, drop us a card or phone us, all calls answered promptly. Don't be slow in investigating this proposition.

HOME LOAN CO.
CHAS. B. LEWIS, MGR.
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Gallia Street, next to Postoffice.
Home Phone X-334.
Portsmouth, Ohio.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR THIS WEEK.

1 3 lb. can Hominy	5c
2 qts. Flake Hominy	5c
1 pkg. Pan Cake Flour	5c
1 pkg. Rolled Oats	5c
1 qt. new Beans	5, 7½c
1 can Tomatoes .. 5, 7½ and	10c
2 lbs. Best Starch	5c
2 boxes Bag Blue	5c
1 pkg. Raisins	10c
New York Cream Cheese	5c lb

For fish bait.

A snap in Fresh Butter and eggs, fruits, vegetables, lard, bacon, flour, sugar, tea and coffee. Give us a call.

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The Cash Grocer.

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Save the Dealer's Profit By Buying A Buggy at the Home Factory.

A strictly hand made buggy, best material, workmanship and finish for $85.00 and $100.00.

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Open Day and Night.
MAHERAS BROS. PROPS.
BOTH PHONES.

"Rosa Don't You Know Me?" Was A Sister's Pathetic Cry

Father Time usually leaves his mark during forty-eight years and he had so successfully performed his work that two sisters who had not seen each other since childhood looked on each other coldly for several minutes Monday and then did not recognize each other.

Mrs. Rosa Brennen, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Lillian Depray, of Chicago, met at the home of Mrs. Brennen's son, Daniel, on East Tenth street, after years and years of separation. Almost babies when they parted they have grown into womanhood and each have grand children.

The older residents of Portsmouth, will remember Mr. Ezra Jeffords, who has been dead for thirty-nine years or more. He had been married twice and at the death of his second wife seven small children were left to battle with the world.

It meant the breaking up of a happy family.

The children were taken by relatives and friends where they would be better taken care of, and several of them left Portsmouth. Mrs. Depray was then seven years of age. She was taken with Mr. O. K. Johnson and a colony of people into Illinois, but her surroundings were not pleasant and at the age of twelve years she ran away from her foster parents, and after going miles along the country road she became exhausted and went to sleep. A justice of the peace in the county drove along and discovering the sleeping child took her to his home.

In a few weeks afterward Lillian Jeffords, aged twelve years, had become the wife of her rescuer, who was forty-seven years old and a widower with children. She became the mother of nine children, all of whom were born before she was twenty-three years of age.

Her husband and friend did not live many years and she later became the wife of H. Depray, a well known steel contractor. Since that time Mr. and Mrs. Depray have been moving from one town to another, but at no time had she seen or heard from her brothers or sisters. Three years ago she heard of her brother, Thomas, in Louisville, who, it will be remembered, was killed a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Depray arrived in Portsmouth the 13th of April and although nearly a half century had elapsed since she had seen the town which has grown into a city since her departure, the old home ties were strong within her heart and she started out to find some one who knew her parents and other relatives. She was not long in finding her half sister's children. It was through them that she learned of her sister, Mrs. Rosa Brennen.

Mrs. Depray found Mr. Daniel Brennen, son of Mrs. Rosa Brennen. Between them they arranged to have Mrs. Brennen, of Cincinnati, come here to visit. Mrs. Brennen hurried to Portsmouth and on her arrival here her relatives arranged a little trick. They told her that her sister had been compelled to return to the west, without getting to see her. Mrs. Brennen in conversation with a Times representative today said: "You cannot imagine my disappointment. I could not keep back the tears."

During her younger days Mrs. Brennen had been a nurse and her daughter-in-law told her there was a young lady living next door who was ill and they wanted her to nurse her. Mrs. Brennen felt that she had grown too old for this work, but just at this time a lady appeared in the doorway and pleaded with her to take care of her child who was ill. Mrs. Brennen's disappointment at not seeing her sister had been so keen that she felt unequal to the work but the apparent grief of the mother had about persuaded her, when with a cry of joy, Mrs. Depray could not longer conceal her identity and clung to her sister, crying "Rosa, Rosa, don't you know me?"

"Happy?" said Mrs. Depray, this morning. "I shall never forget the sensation of joy at meeting my sister, who was only three years of age when we were separated. It may be our last meeting although we are praying it will not be, but I shall rest contentedly now that I have seen her whom I have yearned for for years." Looking lovingly into each others eyes the sisters, whose resemblance is striking, "snuggled" close together and with arms around each other, made a happy picture, although there were tears in their eyes.

Mrs. Depray will return to her home in Louisville some time next week, and Mrs. Brennen after a visit with her son here, will go back to her home in Cincinnati. The meeting of the two sisters in Portsmouth has bound the ties of kinship closer than ever before and if He is willing their separation will not be of long duration.

IS YOUR SKIN ON FIRE?

Does it seem to you that you can't stand another minute of that awful, burning itch?

That it MUST be cooled?

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Get a mixture of Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, and other soothing ingredients as compounded only in D. D. D. Prescription.

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D. D. D. gives you comfort—cleanses the skin of all impurities and washes away pimples and blotches over night!

Take our word on it as your local druggist.

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We have a new method that cures Asthma, and we want you to try it at our expense. No matter whether your case is of long standing or recent development, whether it is present as hay fever or chronic Asthma, our method is an absolute cure. No matter in what climate you live, no matter what your age or occupation, our method will certainly cure you right in your own home.

We especially want to send it to those apparently hopeless cases, where all forms of inhalers, douches, opium preparations, fumes, "patent smoke," etc., have failed. We want to show everyone at our own expense that this new method will end all difficult breathing, all wheezing, and all those terrible paroxysms at once and for all time.

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LIVELY FIRE ON FRONT ST.

The James Trent property on Front street, near Gay, was the scene of an early morning blaze Tuesday.

Sparks from a coal stove dropped into an open fire place filled with paper in the lower part of the house occupied by Henry Mohr. A lambrequin was burned and the mantle-piece scorched before the fire was extinguished by the Seventh street company.

Fines Put In Treasury

Mayor H. C. Searcy on Tuesday turned $68.50, collections of fines during April, into the city treasury. Wharfmaster Henry Potter's collections amounting to $65.55 were also deposited.

CIRCUS IS ON ITS WAY

The John Robinson circus, which is to show here Friday, was at Charleston Tuesday. It will move on to Huntington Wednesday and to Ironton on Thursday. The show goes from here to Jackson, Saturday.

TRUSTEES THANKFUL

The trustees of the County Children's Home desire through the Times to thank the Modern Woodmen for the boat ride given the orphan children and their attendants Monday afternoon. All appreciated the excursion.

Chester, the youngest son of John Pick, of Carey's Run, is recovering from a severe siege of measles.

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Mrs. Ring May Be At Kenova

Mrs. John Ring, [illegible] household effects [illegible] attempted to [illegible] have gone to Kenova. She is the wife of John Ring, formerly [illegible] worked [illegible] Portsmouth restaurant [illegible]

An Employ of Horchow Co.

Thomas C. Lantz, one of the most popular and [illegible] teachers in the county, on Monday entered the employ of the Samuel Horchow Co. [illegible] man, Mr. Lantz has [illegible] acquaintance [illegible] sections and [illegible] most valuable man [illegible] concern. [illegible]

New Culverts.

The local N. & W. [illegible] for the past ten days [illegible] distributing [illegible] for new culverts [illegible] Cincinnati district.

[illegible]

NEW PLANTS ARE COMING

L. C. Turley, who was instrumental in inducing the American Drying Machine Company, of Philadelphia, to locate here, has at least four other big industries started on the same way. All are well established concerns, simply desiring a change of location and asking no bonus. Mr. Turley hopes to land at least one or two for this city. The drying machine company will start off with a force of about 75 men, but will eventually give employment to 300, and will prove a big thing for the West End, where the plant will be located.

PORTSMOTTH GIRL CAUGHT IN RAID

Tuesday's Times-Star said:

"An affair in the Princeton hotel Sunday night, in which two women and a man figured, resulted in the arrest and suspicion of Ike Bierman, circus peddler, 1386 Blackstone avenue, St. Louis, on suspicion. After his arrest by Detectives Sweeney and Houillion, an opium layout with a jar of opium which Bierman says is worth $250, were found in his room. Bierman registered several days ago and Sunday night he ran from his room and told the clerk there was a sick woman there. The clerk ran upstairs and found two women, one of whom seemed to be ill. Bierman, badly frightened, ran out to a nearby mission and interested several women of the mission in the case. They had the young woman taken to the city hospital where it was said she was ill from some undetermined cause. She said she was Ethel Salyer, 18, Portsmouth, O. The other woman said she was Catherine Lavery of Louisville. Later she disappeared. After the woman was sent to the city hospital the detectives were notified and went to the hotel. They arrested Bierman and found the drug outfit."

To Lay Corner Stone Of Fine New School

Under appointment of Hon. Harry S. Kissell of Springfield, State Grand Master of the Masons, and acting in his stead, the corner stone of the fine new High school at Lucasville is to be laid next Sunday afternoon under Masonic auspices by Frank M. Baggs of this city. Mr. Baggs is a Past Master of Aurora lodge and is now serving his fourth term as representitive of the Grand Lodge as District Lecturer for the order. He is thoroughly posted upon all Masonic matters and will be a worthy substitute for Grand Master Kissell, who found himself unable by reason of a previous engagement to be present at this function.

The citizens of Lucasville and the Masons particularly are making elaborate plans for the affair. The exercises are to begin at 2:30 p. m. Invitations have been extended to the other Masonic bodies of the county and with pleasant weather a number of Portsmouth Masons will make the trip in automobiles. At the regular meeting of Aurora lodge Monday evening the invitation of Worshipful Master Southworth of Lucasville lodge to participate in the ceremonies was accepted by a unanimous vote.

Inasmuch as this is the first time for a number of years at least, that a Portsmouth man has been appointed as Acting Grand Master for the State lodge, Mr. Baggs feels highly gratified over the honor and his lodge brethren share with him in this pleasure over his appointment. Details of the program are to be published.

Louisana Land Fine Thing, Say Calverts

Judge R. A. Calvert expects to leave in a few weeks for Chattanooga, Tenn., where he will visit his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sheldon. Mr. Sheldon is deputy postmaster in the Mountain City. The Judge will then go to Houma, La., to make his future home with relatives.

His son, Bob Calvert, and son-in-law, Scott Todd, jointly own 1,200 acres of land there which they purchased at $30 per acre. Immigration is so strong in the locality that they recently refused offers of $80 per acre. They expect to divide most of the tract into town lots.

ALBERTS BOY AGAIN SKIPS

Cincinnati, May 2.—Frank Alberts, New Boston, O., arrived in Cincinnati Monday on his way to Louisville to get his stepson, Dudy Keyes, 12, who, he says, ran away from home. The boy has left five times, it is said, and has frequently stopped in Cincinnati, at the home of Tilford Jenkins, 255 Parsen street. He was caught by the Louisville police on Sunday. He said he walked 110 miles.

On Business Trip.

Paul Esselborn, of the Portsmouth brewery, left Monday on a business trip to Catlettsburg and Chillicothe.

O, You Chicken!

J. W. Miller, manager of [illegible] restaurant on East Tenth street, [illegible] a party of friends [illegible]

Capt. Evans To Attend

[illegible] N. W. [illegible]

SETTLES IN HIS KNEE

[illegible] left knee.

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NO PLACE FOR A LOAFER

Harry Cottrill, a young man who shirks his duty, was notified Tuesday that he would have to leave home.

Cottrill has been staying with his mother and stepfather, Henry George, of Highland avenue, but they have finally tired of boarding him without pay. It is said he has worked, but three months in the past several years. They appealed to the police and Harry was told he would have to seek other quarters.

A Father's Vengeance

would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy, of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help him," he wrote, "so at last we gave him Electric Bitters and he improved wonderfully from taking six bottles. It's the best kidney medicine I ever saw." Backache, Tired feeling, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, warn of Kidney trouble that may end in dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Beware: Take Electric Bitters and be safe. Every bottle guaranteed. 50 cents at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Baby Is Dead.

A two months old infant daughter of John Ivan Hill, of Pond Creek, died late Saturday. The funeral was held from the home Sunday and interment was made at Domint cemetery, Pond Creek.

Political Announcement.

Editor Times:—Please announce that I am a candidate for Mayor subject to the decision of the Republican Primaries, to be held Sept. 5th.

JOHN M. WILLIAMS.

serving of said notices, the cost of construction, together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments and all other necessary expenditures. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of 4 per cent per annum; provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty days from the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessment. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not especially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated, and the cost and expense of any appropriation proceedings therefor and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the cost and expense of any such award shall be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said city for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement upon Offnere street from the North side of Robinson avenue to the South side of Kinney's Lane.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder after advertisement according to law.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 19, 1911.

ADAM PEAL, President

Attest: William N. Gableman, Clerk

ORDINANCE.

NUMBER 1622.

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Lawson street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson Avenue, by paving the same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Lawson street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson avenue by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick, in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 226, adopted January 27, 1911, and in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved, designated 9-c-93 and now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

Section 2. That all claims for damages resulting from said improvement shall be judicially inquired into after the completion of the proposed improvement.

Section 3. That the whole cost of said improvement less one-fiftieth thereof and the cost of street and alley intersections, shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon all the lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement, and the cost of said improvement shall include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the serving of said notices, the cost of construction, together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments and all other necessary expenditures. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty days from the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessment. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not especially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated, and the cost and expense of any appropriating proceedings therefor and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the cost and expense of any such award shall be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said city for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement upon Lawson street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson avenue.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder after advertisement according to law.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 19, 1911.

ADAM PEAL, President.

Attest: William N. Gableman, Clerk.

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ORDINANCE.

NUMBER 1621.

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Monroe street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson avenue by paving the same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Monroe street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson avenue by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 2202, adopted January 27, 1911, and in accordance with plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved designated 9-c-73 and now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

Section 2. That all claims for damages resulting from said improvement shall be judicially inquired into after the completion of the proposed improvement.

Section 3. That the whole cost of said improvement less one-fiftieth thereof and the cost of street and alley intersections, shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon all the lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement; and the cost of said improvement shall include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the serving of said notices, the cost of construction, together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments and all other necessary expenditures. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of 4 per cent per annum; provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty days from the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessment. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not especially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated, and the cost and expense of any appropriating proceedings therefor and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the cost and expense of any such award shall be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said city for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement upon Monroe street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Robinson avenue.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder after advertisement according to law.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 19, 1911.

ADAM PEAL, President

Attest: William N. Gableman, Clerk.

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ORDINANCE.

NUMBER 1623.

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Offnere Street from the North side of Robinson avenue to the South side of Kinney's Lane by paving the same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Offnere street from the North side of Robinson avenue to the South side of Kinney's Lane by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick, in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 226, adopted January 27, 1911, and in accordance with plans, specifications, estimates and profiles, heretofore approved, designated [illegible] and now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

Section 2. That all claims for damages resulting from said improvement shall be judicially inquired into after the completion of the proposed improvement.

Section 3. That the whole cost of said improvement less one-fiftieth thereof and the cost of street and alley intersections, shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon all the lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement, and the cost of said improvement shall include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the [illegible]

ORDINANCE.

NUMBER 1624.

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Eighth Street from the east side of Court street to the west side of North Waller street by paving the same.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Eighth street from the east side of Court street to the west side of North Waller street by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick, in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 226, adopted January 27, 1911, and in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved, designated 5-c-93 and now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

Section 2. That all claims for damages resulting from said improvement shall be judicially inquired into after the completion of the proposed improvement.

Section 3. That the whole cost of said improvement less one-fiftieth thereof and the cost of street and alley intersections shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon all the lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement, and the cost of said improvement shall include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the serving of said notices, the cost of construction, together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments and all other necessary expenditures. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty days from the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessment. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not especially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated and the cost and expense of any appropriating proceedings therefor and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the cost and expense of any such award shall be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said city for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement upon Eighth street from the east side of Court street to the west side of North Waller street.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder after advertisement according to law.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 19, 1911.

ADAM PEAL, President.

Attest: William N. Gableman, Clerk.

ORDINANCE.

NUMBER 1620.

Determining to proceed with the improvement of Broadway street from the North side of Eleventh street to the South side of Gallia street by paving the same.

Be it ordained by the council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Broadway street from the North side of Seventh street to the South side of Gallia street by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified or hard burned brick, in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 256, adopted April 20, 1910, and in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved designated 5-c-93 and now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service.

Section 2. That all claims for damages resulting from said improvement shall be judicially inquired into after the completion of the proposed improvement.

Section 3. That the whole cost of said improvement less one-fiftieth thereof and the cost of street and alley intersections shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon all the lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement, and the cost of said improvement shall include the expense of the preliminary and other surveys, of printing and publishing the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, the serving of said notices, the cost of construction, together with interest on bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred assessments and all other necessary expenditures. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments with interest on deferred payments at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, provided that the owner of any property assessed may at his option pay such assessment in cash within thirty days from the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessment. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments and in an amount equal thereto. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement not especially assessed, including the cost of intersections together with the cost of any real estate or interest therein purchased or appropriated, and the cost and expense of any appropriating proceedings therefor and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the cost and expense of any such award shall be paid by the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds to be issued by said city for such purposes in the manner provided by law.

Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands abounding and abutting upon said proposed improvement upon Broadway street from the North side of Seventh street to the South side of Gallia street.

Section 5. That the Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder after advertisement according to law.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed April 19, 1911.

ADAM PEAL, President.

Attest: William N. Gableman, Clerk.

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Both Phones [illegible] Gallia.

PROBERS BOAST "WE'VE GOT 'EM"

Columbus, O., May 2.—Senators L. R. Andrews of Ironton, George K. Cetone of Dayton and Isaac E. Huffman of Oxford, three of those mentioned in the statement of Detective Harrison today, authorized the following statements:

Cetone—"I am absolutely innocent of wrong doing."

Huffman—"I have done no wrong of any kind. It will be shown later."

Andrews—"I have done nothing that is illegal. This will be proven at the proper time."

Columbus, Ohio, May 2.—The probe of the astounding bribery charges against prominent members of the ligislature is now on. It was started at 10 o'clock this morning by the Franklin county grand jury. It is in charge of Attorney General Hogan and Prosecutor Turner. There is to be no white-washing nor immunity baths. "We have the goods on these rascals and we're going to get them," declared Turner at the close of a conference with Hogan at the latter's office Monday evening.

The four members specifically mentioned in the charges of taking money for their votes on certain bills, are Senators Huffman, Cetone and Andrews and Representative Nye. The three Burns detectives who it is charged had trapped these men into taking money declare that the evidence they have is sufficient to land 15 or 20 more members also involved in the bribery charges.

The detectives decline to give the names of the other members who are implicated. All this information, of course, will be turned over to the grand jury. The detectives declare that they never in all their experience came into contact with a more crooked bunch of thieves than those they had to deal with, who belong to and are a part of the Ohio general assembly. These, they say, were most insistent for money and lots of it. The men they dealt with acted as if they were very familiar with crooked business.

Their greed and selfishness is what is going to be their undoing. Advocates of good measures found that there was no possible chance of getting them through unless they came across with the money and this is what led to the bringing of detectives to Columbus some few weeks ago to try to trap these dishonest members and break up the business by sending a few of the rascals to the penitentiary. Columbus business men are responsible for the investigation, which has brought to light this rascality.

The grafting legislators held themselves cheap, according to the detectives, they could be bought for prices ranging from $100 to $200. Dr. Nye told one of the detectives that Speaker Vining was a high priced man and that it would take a thousand dollars to land him. When the speaker was told of this Monday by the detectives, he became furious. It dawned upon him that he had been made a tool of by Nye, and he admitted as much. Nye as is known, accepted money from the detectives and later turned this money over to the speaker, who, not knowing that the money was offered to Nye as a trap, had it put into a safe, intending to use it as evidence against the supposed bribers.

Nye, of course, will plead that he took the money for the purpose of using it against the men who gave it, and not to influence his vote on any measure. The detectives declare they will present sufficient evidence to show that Nye did not act from such motives, and that his action in causing their arrest was to forestall his own arrest. It is not likely there will be any more arrests for a few days yet. After the grand jury indictments come, arrests will follow quickly.

William J. Burns, the famous detective, and employer of the three men who have been working here getting evidence against the crooked legislators, will be here Tuesday to take personal charge of the affairs growing out of the arrest of his men. These are out on bond and are following up several good leads they were working on when arrested. Burns is confident that the evidence in the possession of his men will be sufficient to send the accused legislators to the penitentiary.

This scandal is the nastiest that has broken out in any legislative session for many years. It is easy now to understand why so many good bills have been held up in spite of the great demand for their passage. In many instances, it is apparent, measures were held up because money was used to accomplish such a purpose. In other intsances, bills were held up because those who wanted them passed would not cough up to the crooks in the general assembly who always have their hands out for something.

Double Track Is Rushed

The Ryan Construction Company is hustling the double tracking on the N. & W. in the vicinity of Clifford. The steam shovel was removed above Waverly Tuesday as it is no longer needed at Clifford. In two weeks the stretch of double tracking at this point, which has caused the contractors all kinds of trouble, will be completed.

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Coming to See City's Growth

William Cramer of New Fifth street, has received a letter from William Cropper of Savanah, Ga., who says he will pay a visit to Portsmouth in June. Mr. Cooper, who is the son of W. G. Cooper, who was city editor of the Portsmouth Times under James Newman, left this city when he was a boy of 11 years of age. That was 26 years ago, and he says he has a longing to see for himself the wonderful strides made by this city in the meantime.

Howard Kuntz, of Washington street, formerly a machinist at the terminals, has taken a position in Chicago as head machinist in the Rock Island railroad shops.

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Relief Is Given

The following have been allowed relief by the Soldiers' Relief Commission:

City—Hester Freeman, Cynthia Morris, Catherine Saunders, Julia Smith, Ellen Adams, Matilda Chaffin, Sabina Cremeans, Jane Hurd, each $6.00; John W. Custer, $9; Emamile Nye, $2.

Clay township—Susan Hooner and Nancy Comer, each $6; Elizabeth rown, $2.

Porter township — William Schump, $.

Harrison township—Elizabeth Adams, $9.

Valley township—Samuel S. Johnson, $9.

Upper Nile township—Rachel Spence, $6.

Harden township — Elizabeth Riley, Emaline Hamer, Jackson Cutlip, each $6.

Union township—Clarisa R. Clifford, Elizabeth Brown, each $6.

Chris And His Bride Coming

Chris Malavazos and his bonnie bride, a sweetheart of school days, way back in Greece, are due to arrive in Portsmouth in a few days. They will leave London Thursday for America. Chris is one of the owners of the Greek candy kitchen at Fifth and Chillicothe streets. He has been gone five months.

$200 Animal Drops Dead

Contractor C. J. Martin, of the East End, was returning from Friendship Saturday night with a load of household effects when his big gray horse dropped dead. He had just refused $200 for the animal.

Mr. Wm. Ryan, of West Sixth, is having his home repainted. Contractor Peter Scott is doing the work in his usual fine style.

Cold Did Not Stop Crowd At Carnival

Despite unfavorable weather conditions and the inconveniences caused by the windstorm the second night of the Carnival in the West End was successful to a degree.

The sudden change to cold made it anything but comfortable on the West End mill lot. Men wore overcoats and women resurrected their furs and wraps.

Hundreds who had braved the chilly atmosphere to witness the departure of the excursion steamer Island Queen reached the street fair grounds in time to see the thrilling free-net "The Cloud Swing" by M. Samoyoa, the loop-rope-trapeze artist.

Three good attractions were out for the night through the leveling of tents by Monday afternoon's storm. They were the educated horse show, the athletic show and the human roulette wheel. The Merry-to-Round operated without its tent, it too having been blown down by the high wind. Strenuous efforts had been made to get the tents up again but it was found impossible to connect up in time for electric power. All of the attractions will be in good shape tonight.

The minstrel plantation show drew large crowds all evening while the French poodle dog outfit led the privileges, hundreds of men, women and children occupying the space before the stand throughout the evening.

Quite a number of young women have entered the Queen's contest which will be decided Saturday night at nine o'clock.

N. & W. to Use More Telephone Systems

The N. & W. Ry. has decided to go right ahead with the installation of telephones on the Cincinnati and Columbus districts, and the work will be completed this summer.

The telephone service is now in use from Portsmouth to Williamson and the results are all that can be expected, it is claimed.

In 1910, 15,373 additional miles of railroad installed the telephones. On January 1, 1911, the telegraph was used on 175,211 miles of railroad and the telephone on 41,717 miles. These figures are authentic as they were taken from this week's issue of the Railroad World.

PICTURES AT TRINITY

One of the most interesting and enjoyable entertainments ever given in the city is promised at Trinity church Thursday evening, May 11th, when hundreds of local pictures dealing with Portsmouth will be shown on canvas. The variety of subjects to be shown will be such that everyone who attends will be more than pleased.

Tickets are now on sale and are going rapidly. Only the capacity of the church will be sold, and all who intend going would do well to secure their tickets at once. Among other pictures to be shown will be several dealing with the recent Sunday campaign.

Watch Your Kidneys.

Their action controls your health. Read what Foley Kidney Pills have done for your neighbor, Mr. George Herbert, 436 Wiseman St., Youngstown, O., says: "Foley Kidney Pills cured me of a bad case of kidney trouble, with which I had been afflicted for some time. They regulated the action of my kidneys and restored them to a healthy condition. I do not hesitate to recommend Foley Kidney Pills as I know they are a good kidney medicine." Fisher & Streich.

Toys Stolen

Alf Little complained to the police Sunday that boys had stolen toys from the stable at the rear of his home No. 1022 Gay street.

Louis P. Seitz, of West Sixth street, is quite ill of grip and lumbago.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart responds to the charm and sweetness of a baby's voice, because nature intended her for motherhood. But even the loving nature of a mother shrinks from the ordeal because such a time is regarded as a period of suffering and danger. Women who use Mother's Friend are saved much discomfort and suffering, and their systems, being thoroughly prepared by this great remedy, are in a healthy condition to meet the time with the least possible suffering and danger. Mother's Friend is recommended only for the relief and comfort of expectant mothers; it is in no sense a remedy for various ills, but its many years of success, and the thousands of endorsements received from women who have used it are a guarantee of the benefit to be derived from its use. This remedy does not accomplish wonders but simply assists nature to perfect its work. Mother's Friend allays nausea, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to strong, healthy motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers.

Mother's Friend

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C. & O. FAVORS HUGE BOND ISSUE

Richmond, Va., May 2.—At a special meeting held here Saturday the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway unanimously adopted a resolution authorizing the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five millions. They also adopted a resolution authorizing a mortgage to secure the bonds.

It is understood that the mortgage provides that the bonds will be used to retire outstanding general funding and improvement 5 per cent. bonds, now limited to $11,000,000 which may be redeemed prior to maturity.

Meyer Back At Capitol

Will J. Meyer, private secretary to Congressman R. M. Switzer, returned Monday to Washington. He had been in Ironton for two weeks, looking after some important legal work. Mr. Meyer will not return home before June 1st.

ANY COLOR SO IT'S RED

Druggist John Flood is repainting his ice cream plant near Gallia and Offnere streets, formerly Smith & Dunn's coal office, a bright red.

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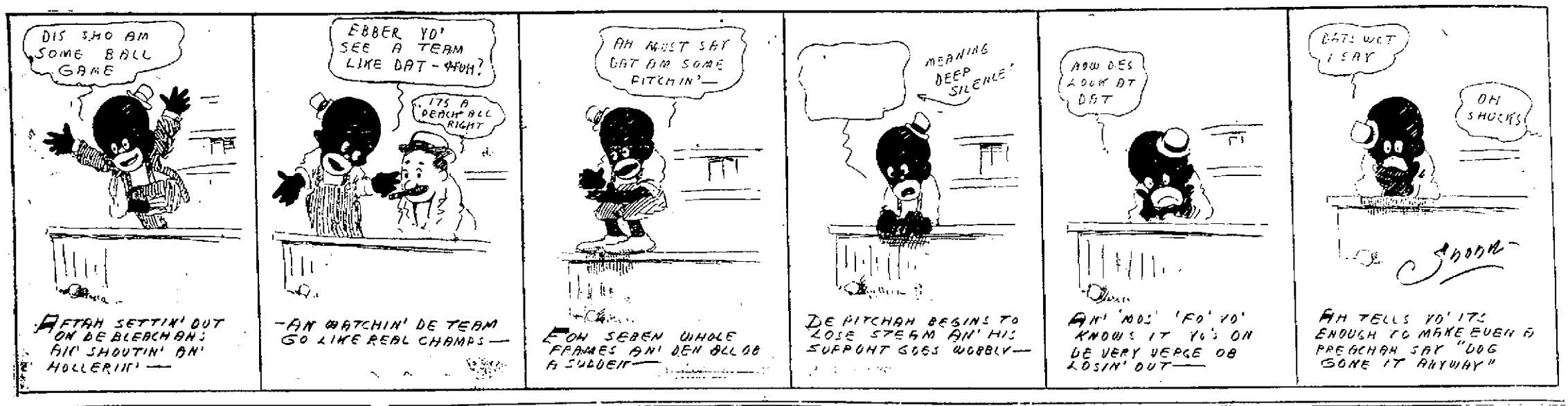
Shine--He Picks A Crow With the Great National Game BY SHONK



BIG "PEGGY" MOORE TAMED THOSE BABBLING "BABES"

(F. W. Sheridan.)

Striking a general batting average of 750, which is Pisgah's heighth in baseball, the illustrious slugger, Firstbaseman Edwards, did something toward winning the last game of the series between the Champs and Babes at Millbrook park, Monday afternoon, a game that resulted 8-4, the Champs getting the larger number.

It was a fine time that the Southern gentleman had with the untamed Mr. Curry, who heaved the oval for the visiting brethren. Five times did the first sucker walk to the plate. Twice he delivered with doubles, then a single, next a sacrifice fly and finally to show that he could go out in a sensible sort of a way he lifted one to Mr. Whalen. To be sure, Mr. Edwards was a large part of the works.

"Peggy" Moore was the offering set out before the Babbling Babes. They thought to go at him like honey bees after a bed of tulips, but they failed to create much of an impression, no less than seven of them being retired on strikes. They secured six hits and had Big Frank been accorded an air tight support the Babes would have left the field carrying a complete setting of goose eggs. The locals, however, slipped a rog in the last two innings and before their steering gear could be righted the Babes had shooed four runs across the last station.

Well, what of it? Why not send them on their way with a little consolation?

The Babes offered Mr. Curry as a box artist, and be it said right here that he is the wildest hurler that ever curved a ball. He walked no less than seven Champs in four innings and when he did put the ball over the plate it was walloped for further orders. Mr. Curry may be a pitcher when he learns to control the ball—surely not before. His efforts were painful to behold and had he pitched out the entire game the Champs would have scored a hundred. Mr. Ahearn, he of red undershirt fame, and with the sunkissed locks, took up the burden when Curry sought the shade of the bench. Ahearn was cooly the best he had been this season and he is now confident that he has regained his 1910 form, when he was regarded as one of the really good pitchers in the league. True, the locals kit him, but they did not score a run and that is what counts in his average. He looked easy, but looks are sometimes deceiving and Monday was no exception to the rule. Ahearn breezed along, calmly and serenely and had he been on the mound for the entire affair, there might have been a different story to tell. All the runs scored by the Champs were made off Mr. Curry, and the fans were tickled to death that the wild Westerner started hostilities and not Mr. Ahearn.

The game was devoid of all interest after the fourth frame. Up until then the Champs had made three runs, but three are not enough in this day and age of the world, especially when playing the Babes, for Zeke has inspired that never-say-die spirit among his athletes and they fight down to the last ditch and have the first time yet to raise the flag of truce.

After disposing of the Babes in the first frame, the locals proceeded to make matters a little interesting. Mr. Black, who is some waiter, by the way, walked and to complete matters Curry uncorked a wild pitch. Hammond placed the new arrival on third and Billy Jones went out on a roller to second. Weiny looked so awfully ferocious to Curry that he took no chance with the good natured Dutchman, but walked him, too. Then up stepped the aforesaid Mr. Edwards and he pickled a high one to center, Mr. Kelley fielding it like a cow. Result, two-baser, and Black and Weiny registered. So painful was Mr. Kelley's effort that Manager Wrigley called him to the bench and sent Hiram Grandle to the middle garden.

In the third Edwards was responsible for one more run. Hammond and Jones both walked and Weiny shoved 'em along. Edwards sent Grandle to the flagpole in middle for his long fly, Hammond scoring easily.

But the fire works were touched off in the fifth. Hornung doubled for a starter and Callis sacrificed. Then Curry, who was scared green, walked Moore, who electrified the crowd by stealing. Black also walked, and on Hammond's safe wallop to second, Hornung scored. Curry couldn't have located the plate with a surveyor's outfit right here and he landed an inshoot against Jones's hoof, Moore scoring—had too for the bases were clogged. Wilkie, who caverted in right, dropped Weiny's fly and Black scored. Then that heretofore announced hero, Mr. Edwards slapped one a mile a minute to left. Hammond and Jones registering. Conwell then slapped one to Wolfe and Hornung, coming up, for the second time in this inning popped to Whalen.

And then the Champs knocked off their offensive tactics and kept close guard over the plate. The Babes went down in one, two, three order in most innings until the eighth when the Champs had gan uncorking some pretty punk work. After Ahearn fanned, and he painfully whiffed, too, Tenant walked, Black dropped Zimpher's line drive, and Whalen lofted to left. Grandle, who can hit as well as pitch, swatted a beauty to left. Tenant coming home. Wolfe then made his second hit, a drive through Hornung, Zimpher scoring. Wilkie walked but Cherry Blossom skied to left.

In the ninth, Lake, who had previously batted like a cream puff, crashed one to left. Ahearn, who didn't make a foul off Peggy, rolled one to Conwell, who had a double play in sight, but unfortunately he fooled the sphere and both runners were safe. Tenant, however, forced Ahearn at second, Lake scoring. And would you believe it, Zimpher's little roller went right through Hornung's legs. Wilkie, who found Peggy almost unsolvable, lifted one to Hornung, who caught the ball (alright, he took time to say his prayers. Tenant scoring, Grandle ended the fun with a fielder's choice to Conwell.

[illegible] Champs [illegible] Wrigley [illegible] this season.

Of course it was nothing to the credit particularly of the Champs to beat the Babes. Four teams shot to pieces, and two pitchers were used in yesterday's slaughter. Zimpher was on first and Wolfe on short. Manager Wrigley is out of the game with a charley horse and don't know just when the pain will let up. The Babes said before leaving that they would be back here some of these days when they were in shape and then the Champs had better have a cure. Quit yer kiddin'. The score:

Portsmouth.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Black, lf.....	2	2	0	4	0	1
Hammond, 2b.	3	2	1	2	1	1
Jones, cf.....	3	1	0	0	0	1
Weinberg, c..	3	1	0	7	1	0
Edwards, 1b..	4	0	3	11	0	1
Conwell, 3b...	4	0	0	1	4	1
Hornung, ss...	4	1	2	2	5	1
Callis, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Moore, p.....	2	1	1	0	5	0
Tota's	28	8	7	27	13	6

Chillicothe.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tenant, ss....	4	2	0	0	0	0
Zimpher, 1b...	5	1	0	10	1	0
Whalen, 3b...	5	0	1	3	3	0
Grandle, cf....	4	0	1	3	0	0
Kelley, cf.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wolfe, 2b....	4	0	2	2	3	0
Wilkie, rf....	2	0	1	2	0	1
Cherry, lf.....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lake, c.....	4	1	1	4	1	0
Curry, p.....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ahearn, p.....	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	37	4	6	24	11	1

Portsm'th.	2	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	x	8
Chil'the...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	4

Hits apportioned - Off Curry, 4 in 4 innings; off Ahearn, 3 in 4 innings.

Two base hits—Edwards 2, Hornung, Moore.

Sacrifice hits — Hammond, Weinberg, Edwards, Callis.

Stolen bases—Weinberg, Moore, Tenant.

First base on balls - Off Curry 7, off Ahearn 1, off Moore 1.

Hit by pitcher—Jones.

Struck out - By Moore 7, by Curry 2, by Ahearn 1.

Double play—Moore, Hammond to Edwards.

Wild pitch - Curry

Time of game—1:45

Umpire—Raphun.

Attendance—450.

NOTES OF THE GAME

The Champs will not be seen in action at Millbrook park until May 12th, when they come home for a long stretch of games. They left Tuesday morning when they play the Marion Diggers two games. They will not worry the fans in Marion, for the Diggers have been setting a fast clip, having lost but three games. An early break will satisfy the fans here.

The best news that the fans have received for some time was the announcement made by President Gerdemann on Monday, to the effect that Harry Lloyd will join the Champs at Hamilton next Saturday. Lloyd, who has been coaching a team of collegiates at Fargo, N. D., writes that he will report in good shape and be ready to take his turn in the box. He says he is better than ever and if that be the case, the Champs will be the one best bet in the league.

Rube Walls silently took his departure Tuesday. Rube gained his wind up this winter, but lost his curves. He informed the Times that he was going back to Fort Recovery to find his curves. He will doubtless "recover" 'em in a burg of that name. Help!

Red Whalen wasn't so tricky with the bat, Monday. He tried to kill the ball but all he got was a sad sister that Hornung nearly fielded but not quite. At that Whalen is some hitter, and don't forget it, either. He will break more than one pitcher's heart before the season is far advanced.

Isn't that man Boers one awful comedian, though? He slipped one over on Umpire Raphun, yesterday, that set the fans roaring. Owing to the disorganized condition of the grounds, every time a ball was fouled off and it landed in a mud puddle, Raphun would toss a soft sphere to Boers, who was acting as bat boy, shines on the seats in the grandstand. Finally, after Raph had tossed Boers the fifteenth fair ball in succession, the Shoe City lad yelled at the arbitrator, "What do you think I am, an octopus?"

[illegible] Monday, and between [illegible] Hornung between innings [illegible] and Wrigley [illegible] long as they used to be. And [illegible] the balls placed pretty [illegible] with [illegible] of it [illegible] when Boers [illegible] the statue of Liberty. Times that little Hammond fellow isn't a handy man to have around.

Moore had the Babes completely faded. Six hits composed their output, and with the right kind of support they would never have seen the light of day. Too bad that the errors had to mar Big Frank's record. However, the result counts for as much as though the visitors had been daubed all over with kalsomine.

One fan was willing to bet five to one that Curry would walk no less than five men. He would have won his stakes had any one dared take him up. Curry disliked up seven bases on balls in four innings, hit one man and uncorked a wild pitch. The Champs did not have to do much hitting to win a game like that. Unless Mr. Curry recovers his control, he won't be with the Babes long—they like more docile fellows than he.

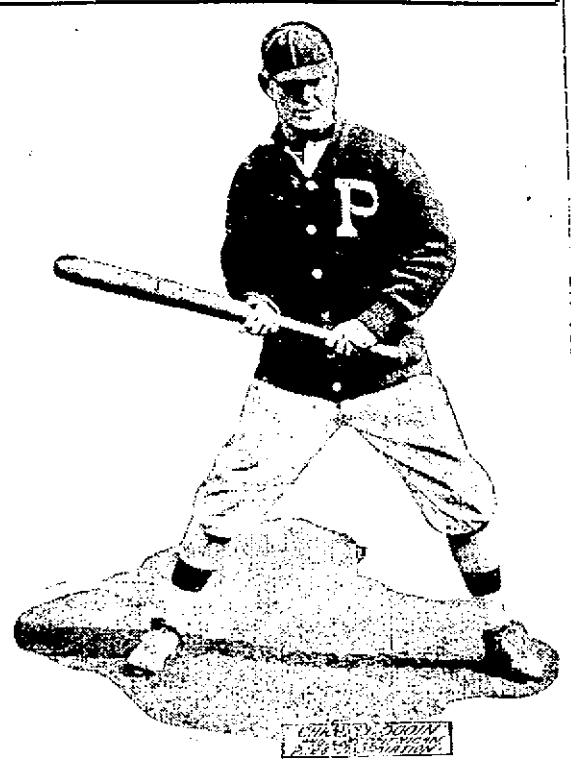
Kelley, who was secured from Louisville by the Babes, does not show up to any great advantage in the field. He wobbles around like a drunken sailor on a fly ball, and he hit viciously. He claims that he is afflicted with sore legs. That being the case, all criticism of the big fellow is off.

Edwards was the hitting kid, yesterday. Two doubles and a single—well, that is fair enough. Edwards is destined to become the slugger of the team, although Jones and Weinberg will have something to say about that. Let 'em all go after the record!

Hornung slammed one against the left field fence that was a darling. He also cracked out a pretty single. In the field he had one error, and held a fly ball he had caught behind third base so firmly in his grasp that he couldn't throw it home in time to catch Mr. Tenant who was on third at the time. A little lapse of memory, that's all. We won't do that again if he lives to be a great grandfather.

The errors of Black and Jones were excusable. The field was awful heavy and the boys could secure no footing. Many scorers would have given the hitters fits on the two balls dropped by the fielders, on a dry field both balls would have been caught, which shows that the conditions had something to do with the drop ping of the balls.

After Wagner's Honors



Philadelphia, May 2.—Not satisfied with having his team at the head of the National league, Charley Dooin, manager of the Phillies, is now out for the batting honors of the country. At present the "red top" temperamental pilot of the Quakers is leading the players in the circuit over the delectable average of .571, being the only player in the circuit over the half perfect limit. Since he took hold of the team about two years ago Dooin has proved that he is one of the cleverest leaders in the big league. He pulled off a big trade with Cincinnati last winter, which has strengthened his team to such an extent that many critics are sure that the Phillies will win this year's pennant. Besides being a good batter and a clever manager, Dooin is one of the greatest catchers the game ever produced. In appreciation of his shrewdness in executing the ability in piloting a team the stockholders of the Philadelphia club have canceled his old contract and given him a three years' lease of life as manager of the Phillies.

WHY OWENS WAS CANNED

Springfield, Ohio, May 2.—Outfielder Owens, who was released by Manager O'Day during the series at Marion, has accepted terms with the Chillicothe team and will join the team this week at Lima. He is a fast man on the bases, but his hend work did not suit O'Day and he was released. He received a telegram yesterday from Manager Zeke Wrigley to join the team at once as his team is weak in the outfield. Owens is a good player but Manager O'Day had an oversupply of outfielders and decided to cut him off the list after he lost the game at Marion by trying to steal home with no one out and one run needed to tie.

Say Raphun Had Trouble

Empire Raphun is having his troubles. He was in hot water several times during the Newark-Portsmouth series.—Hamilton News.

Wonder what kind of a plant the News has for the manufacturing of such as the above. The paper insinuates that Raph was in bad and made one awful mess. Fact is Raph had several close ones to make, but he made 'em without fear or favor.

Near Preacher To Join Babes

Pitcher Cooperrider is due to join the Chillicothe team in Newark Tuesday. He has completed his theological course. In Abern, Grandle, Beebe and Cooperrider the Babes will be handsomely fortified in the box.

Champs Got Their Stipend

Monday was the first pay day of the season for the Portsmouth ballplayers. The slips will be distributed after today's game.

Henry Goodrich Is To Leave For Flint, Mich.

The many friends of Henry Goodrich will be pleased to learn that he has recovered his health and will leave Wednesday morning for Flint, Mich., where he will play this season.

Goodrich, it will be recalled, is the property of the St. Joe team of the Western league but has been sent to Flint on an option. It is quite likely that he will be recalled within the first month, as there is nothing that can keep "Goody" down when he once gets on his stride.

For a time this spring Goodrich was afraid he would not be able to go out this season, owing to his state of health. He lost considerable weight, but is now almost back to normal. His cheeks have a ruddy glow and his eyes sparkle with health.

Henry will set the fans of Flint wild with his hitting and his friends here are confident he will more than hold his own in fielding. There is not a better natured fellow playing ball than "Goody" and he is destined to reach a high mark in his profession. Gentlemanly at all times, he is an ideal player and the fact that he has fully regained his health is joyful news to his friends.

GOWDY TO GO TO JERSEY

According to the New York Globe, Harry Gowdy, of the Giants, who has many friends here, and who formerly played with the Lanks, will be turned over to Jersey City probably this week.

Raphun At Hamilton.

Umpire Raphun left Tuesday for Hamilton, having been assigned there by President Read. It will be his initial appearance in that city. The Toothpickers will play Springfield and a battle royal is on.

SAW MOLDERS BEAT CHAMPS

A Newark man who saw the games at Portsmouth, stated in a letter to Newark friends that it was a pleasure to see the boys step up to the plate, "look 'em over," pick out a good one and clout it fenceward. He says the bunch will prove their worth before their return.—Newark Advocate.

Champs Ready For Accidents

The Champs will be much better fortified this season than last. Should any one of the infielders be injured, Hammond can be brought in to fill the gap. Then, should an outfielder go bad, Harry Lloyd, who joins the team at Hamilton on May 6th, can be sent to the pastures. And then, there is Boers, who is some big noise as an outfielder and a catcher of more than ordinary ability.

The Champs are now rounding into form, and they should be [illegible] show their class in a short time. [illegible] the fans who have witnessed [illegible] performance are satisfied that [illegible] have in the Champs a team [illegible] found to give a splendid account [illegible]-if.

Of course, with such wonders [illegible] now president the players [illegible] expected to burn up the league [illegible] will do well to get by [illegible] springing any more Charley [illegible] Oh, for a day in June.

STANDING OF TEAMS

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

Philadelphia	7
Boston	1

American League.

Boston	3
Washington	2
Detroit	14
Cleveland	5

American Association.

Kansas City	17
Toledo	13
St. Paul	8
Minneapolis	2

OHIO STATE LEAGUE.

Springfield	3
Lima	2
Lancaster	1
Newark	0
Portsmouth	8
Chillicothe	4

HOW THEY STAND.

National League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	1	3	.867
Pittsburg	8	5	.615
New York	8	5	.615
Chicago	9	6	.60[illegible]
Cincinnati	4	6	.4[illegible]
Boston	5	11	.312
St. Louis	3	7	.300
Brooklyn	4	10	.286

American League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	11	2	.857
New York	7	5	.583
Chicago	7	7	.5[illegible]
Boston	7	7	.500
Washington	6	7	.462
Philadelphia	6	7	.4[illegible]
Cleveland	6	11	.35[illegible]
St. Louis	4	11	.266

American Association.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	15	4	.7[illegible]
St. Paul	8	6	.57[illegible]
Columbus	7	6	.5[illegible]
Milwaukee	9	8	.529
Kansas City	7	8	.467
Louisville	7	9	.437
Toledo	6	13	.3[illegible]
Indianapolis	5	12	.294

Ohio State League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Marion	6	3	.6[illegible]
Portsmouth	5	3	.62[illegible]
Springfield	6	4	[illegible]
Lancaster	6	4	[illegible]
Hamilton	5	5	[illegible]
Newark	4	5	.4[illegible]
Chillicothe	3	6	.3[illegible]
Lima	3	8	.27[illegible]

I'm Coming Back And Show 'Em Says Walls

"I'm going home and learn how to throw all my curves with two fingers and then I will return to Portsmouth and show the fans what I can do," sagely remarked Rube Walls Tuesday before he took his departure for his home in Ft. Recovery, O.

Walls realizes that unless he changes his present style of delivery he will never be a first class pitcher. He took his release good naturedly and complimented Manager Childs for his patience and kinds words.

Walls has all kinds of natural ability, but he "telegraphed" his curve, which makes him ineffective as the batsman knows what is coming.

Walls throws an outshoot with his whole hand instead of with two fingers. This style has been obsolete for 20 years. Walls is big and strong and willing and he says he is going to return and deliver a high class brand of goods.

Wouldn't it be nice if Walls would come back just in time to render valuable assistance in the home stretch? He is full of confidence and stated emphatically that he would again wear a Portsmouth uniform.

BEANIES BUM BUNTERS

There is one department of the game in which the local team shows up awfully weak, and that is bunting, says Bud Galdeman in the Lima Times. There doesn't seem to be over two or three men on the team that know anything about laying a ball down, and the failure to do so has already cost runs. Manager Osborne should have his bunch practicing bunting in the morning during the time they are home this stretch of games. Hitting it out may win some ball games, but there is a slim chance of winning a game that way when the opposition pitchers display the form that they did in the last two games.

BABES MAKE CHANGES

The Chillicothe Babes left early Tuesday morning for Lima, where they play a series of three games.

Manager Wrigley's charley horse is much better and he hopes to play against the Beanies. Outfielder Owen, who was released by Manager Hank O'Day, of Springfield, has signed a Chillicothe contract and he joined the Babes today in Lima. Wrigley is also after a utility infielder. When Kibler gets back into the game, Whalen will go to short and Wrigley to second, his favorite position.

DIGGERS BUY K. C. PITCHER

Marion, Ohio, May 2.—Pitcher Mike Reagan has been purchased by the local club from Kansas City and will report here at once. According to Manager Shay, Kansas City club, he has sent Manager Lewis a sure winner.

C. & O. WRECK

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master were slightly injured.

C. & O. officials say positively that no passengers suffered injuries although all were shaken up. They stated that they had not received advices as to the cause of the wreck but that the engine, baggage and mail cars left the tracks and were badly smashed. As to how many passenger cars were derailed, if any, no information could be obtained.

A queer feature of the wreck is that engine 161, known from end to end of the C. & O. as the "Hoodoo," was pulling No. 3, and again claimed its toll of death. The engine has been a terror to trainmen on the Huntington division since it came out of the shops.

Here is its record:

Engineer Edwards of Huntington was caught under the engine and his life crushed out, when it started up in a manner never yet explained.

In a smashup within a year, Engineer Richards was crushed to death.

The engine was brought to the shops and repaired and Supervisor of Engines Bullock and a number of others were testing it in the yards here, when it turned over and all passengers were more or less injured, although no one was killed.

Besides this the engine figured in a variety of minor accidents and trainmen refused to take it out.

Engineer Pilcher, who lost his life in Tuesday's wreck, a big, courageous man, said he was not afraid of any "hoodoo" that ever existed. He had No. 161 repaired along lines that he mapped out and insisted upon taking the remodeled 161 out on his run with No. 3. All seemed to go well for a time and Pilcher thought his judgment was confirmed.

Then came Tuesday's smash-up and Pilcher and his fireman rode to death on 161. The "Hoodoo" was still there.

An extra No. 3 was made up at Charleston shortly after the wreck and started west on No. 3's time.

The track at Alasia, the scene of the wreck, was badly torn up but it was expected to have the wreck cleared up late Tuesday afternoon.

It could not be learned as to whether or not any Portsmouth people were on the train.

KIBLER TO SCOUT

Tom Kibler will do some scouting for outfielders until he can get back in the game, says the Chillicothe News-Advertiser. Had he been on the team Saturday and Sunday, both might have been victories and we would have been near the top.

House Is A Pretty One

The Elizabeth Gilgen home at the corner of Eighth and Findlay streets, is one of the prettiest in the city. It has undergone a wonderful transformation at the hands of painters Cunningham and Cross. Mrs. Gilgen mixed the trimmings herself and the color selected adds much to the appearance of the house.

Chicks Worth Dollar Each

Lou Gilgen, Enquirer agent, is congratulating himself upon the splendid hatch of Golden Wyandotte chickens, for 21 out of 30 eggs is a mighty fine showing. Lou says he would not take a dollar apiece for the chicks. He secured the eggs in New York City and will now likely send for some more.

Master Clay Herms Hoobler, of West Sixth street, is improving from a serious attack of malarial fever.

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New Lodge At Rarden

C. H. Lyman, of Columbus, grand secretary of the Odd Fellows of Ohio, and who attended Scioto lodge's anniversary celebration, left Tuesday for Rarden to institute a new lodge there. The founding of this new lodge will be made the occasion of a big time at Rarden next Saturday night. Many local members of the order are planning to attend.

SELLS HOUSE AND LOT

Attorney W. R. Sprague has disposed of a house and lot, corner of Gay and Mill street, and a farm of 20 acres on Dry Run, to C. A. Crabtree, real estate dealer of Columbus.

WILL BUILD COTTAGE

Robert Cox, who resides in Selby terrace, has purchased a lot in Long Meadow, an addition to Sciotoville, and expects to erect a cottage thereon this summer.

Portsmouth Man Has Suddenly Lost Mind

In police court Monday M. D. Schreiber, local superintendent of the Western and Southern Life Insurance Company filed an affidavit against A. R. Stewart, charging him with having collected $10.00 belonging to the company and then disappearing.

At Ironton Monday Stewart was found wandering around aimlessly in the C. & O. yards and relative to his arrest the Irontonian of Tuesday morning said:

The Irontonian says that Attorney Roscoe Stewart who for some time has been located in Columbus, but who recently gave up his practice and went to Portsmouth where he engaged in the insurance business and who came to this city Monday was taken in charge by Chief Mayne. Mr. Stewart's actions being such as to indicate that he was mentally unbalanced.

Mr Stewart was found wandering around the Russell yards by some of the workmen, who fearing that he would be injured, induced him to leave the yards and come to this city. Word was sent to the officials here and a lunacy affidavit was filed in the probate court and Mr. Stewart taken in charge by Chief Mayne and turned over to Sheriff Neal, who later gave him in charge of his aged father, Mr. James Stewart of back of Old Maidsville, who took him home, where it is believed that a course of treatment will restore him to his mind, which all who know Mr. Stewart sincerely hope will be the case.

Grand Jury

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$100 bill, remarking that it was the smallest change he had. The other also said that he had nothing smaller than a $100 bill.

Home Folks Are Sure of Cetone.

(By United Press.)

Dayton, O., May 2.—Democratic State Chairman Edward Hanley has wired Senator Cetone, that his friends at home believe in him and trusted him. The telegram says they will see that Cetone gets a fair and impartial trial.

Detective Is Put On Stand.

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., May 2.—The grand jury began its probe today with the examination of Detective Bailey. Following him several house and senate employes were examined. It is expected quite a number of these will be questioned before others are called.

Judge A. Z. Blair of Portsmouth, appeared before the grand jury and rumors say he furnished valuable information regarding boodlers.

He is said to have told of attempted boodling in connection with the Kimble bill which would have ousted him from the bench and bribery charges against the wet and dry bill.

Governor Harmon was the first witness to take the stand this afternoon. He was on the stand about ten minutes. The nature of his testimony was not made known.

Detective Burns told a group of newspaper men today that the Ohio legislature was one of the most corrupt he had ever investigated.

"We have the cases absolutely cinched," he says, "and the evidence was secured by experienced operatives and not bums." I do not like to prophesy, but you follow suit wait until the grand fellows wait until the grand jury reports. That will be your next big story."

He was in high good humor and chuckled when he mentioned the complete case he had worked up. He says that convictions are bound to come.

Columbus, May 2.—The package which Representative George B. Nye, of Pike, gave to Speaker Vining and said contained bribe money, was opened in the presence of Governor Harmon and found to contain $200, as claimed by Nye.

Deputy sheriffs were busy serving the first batch of subpoenas issued by the grand jury foreman and prosecuting attorney. Many of those upon the list have not had their names revealed. Most prominent in the number is that of Superintendent Wayne B. Wheeler, of the Anti-Saloon League, the man who led the fight against the Dean and the Fulton local option bills.

Other subpoenas were issued to certain employes of the Ohio senate, to lobbyists, to newspaper men and to members. It is not positively known that Speaker Samuel J. Vining has been commanded to appear. He left the chair this afternoon and went away from the capitol.

It is possible that a state official will also be summoned who knows, or is said to know, something of a request for a large sum of money to advance a dedistricting bill which would have got rid of Judge A. Z. Blair, of Portsmouth.

Speaker Vining had a long conference with the Burns detectives and inspected the rooms where the conversations took place.

Out of the conference grew the story that Vining had parted company with Representative Nye, and had announced that he felt that he had been deceived. What really happened was that Mr. Harrison showed to the Speaker that Representative Nye had said to him that "Vining was a high-priced man, and that $1,600 was necessary to get him."

In the same connection he said that there were 25 others, but they were a great deal cheaper. This made the Speaker highly indignant, and he blurted out that he had never authorized Nye or any one else to speak for him.

Other statements were imputed to Nye as against the Speaker.

"We are inclined to believe that you have been made a tool, and that other people used you to get themselves out of a hole," was what the detectives told the Speaker.

The response of the Speaker was that there certainly had been a change in the aspect of affairs since he first viewed them, but as to being made a tool of, it was a matter in which both sides were free to draw their own conclusions.

Representative Nye had another meeting with his attorney, Charles E. Belcker, who later issued a statement in which he asserted that the interview with Detective Harrison sustains the charge against them by his client. There was, he said, an admission that money had been paid not only to Nye, but to other members to influence pending legislation.

"The excuse that it was done as detectives, he said, was no excuse. The duty of a detective is to ferret out crime, but he is legally guilty when he induces another to commit crime. Said he, Harrison claims to be representing some client. Why does he not say whom he is representing?

"If he and they were acting as detectives, why does he claim to have paid money to members of the legislature to defeat the nine-hour bill? The claim that he and they are detectives is not borne out by these facts, and he is clearly guilty, according to his own admissions.

"Speaker Vining has been working on the case for some time, and we intend to insist that it be prosecuted to the end."

During the day Representatives Nye and Lowry were about the state house and attended the session of the lower house. Dr. Nye still remained uncommunicative, while Lowry said that he went into the game in order to be able to testify and that he intended to do so only when the proper time came.

Attorney General Hogan and Prosecutor Turner had a long conference late Monday, and reviewed the incomplete cases.

On but one of the cases Mr. Hogan would express his opinion. He said he believed there was no doubt that the case against Representative George B. Nye, of Pike, is completed.

He declared that only one thing will satisfy him. The grand jury must go to the bottom and leave nothing undone that will result in convicting the guilty.

Of another thing he declared himself quite sure. The prosecution, representing the state, will not be in any hurry to give immunity baths to secure testimony to convict the guilty.

Mrs. Melissa O'Dell, of West Second street, moved yesterday to her farm on Pond Run.

New Officers Named By St. Paul Chapter

At a meeting of the St. Paul's chapter of the German Methodist church Monday evening, the following excellent corps of officials was elected for the ensuing year: President, George Youngman; vice president, John Ressinger; secretary, Ralph Marting; treasurer, Leroy Bittner; chaplain, John Redepenning.

At the conclusion of the election, George Youngman, who has served as president of the organization for the past year, gave a splendid talk on "Electricity," which was greatly enjoyed by the members. Wesley Griver, Leroy Bittner and Rev. J. F. Baumen were initiated as members of the organization.

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ROUND TRIP 50 CENTS.
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N. B.—There is no truth whatever that the Friday afternoon trip, May 5th, has been called off. It will be given exactly as advertised.

Digger Pitcher Was Overworked

Manager Lewis, of the Marion Diggers, has at last come to the conclusion that he had but one pitcher who could be depended upon to win for him. That man is Goulait, and had it not been for the Canadian, the Diggers would not be near the cellar position. This particular pitcher has pitched no less than six of the ten games played by the Diggers. Goulait should have renigged on such a task. True, he has kept his team in the front, but there is little doubt but that he has done much to impair his effectiveness, and that he will lose considerable of his effectiveness. The way the Hams walloped him in the last game would indicate such, at least.

Manager Lewis poses as a pitcher, and then there is Rube Rice. Lewis has worked in but one game and won that with ease. It was no more than right that he send himself to the firing line and not run the risk of injuring his star slabman so early in the season.

OUR COUNTRY COUSINS

The Quincy team fairly annihilated the Vanceburg nine on the former's grounds Sunday, the score being 8 to 2.

Quincy has some ball team, they say, and they expect to clean up on Rome next Sunday. Fred Smith, the manager of Quincy, would like to hear from any teams in this city who are desirous of a Sunday engagement.

Shumate and Berry formed the battery for Quincy Sunday, while Shoemate and Frezzell worked for Vanceburg.

HOWL ABOUT CANNING OF BROWN

The Cincinnati fans do not like the idea of returning Elmer Brown to Akron or at least allowing him to leave Redville without a trial in fast company. Elmer pitched some nice exhibition games against good teams, and yet he was canned without a good trial against the league teams. There is no sure thing that he will come to Akron, even though the Reds passed him up. He may be signed by the Philadelphia Nationals, and Manager Dooin was much impressed with his work. Phelon of the Cincinnati Times Star, says the following concerning the ex-Marionite:

"General growling is still going on over the release, all untried, of Elmer Brown. Griff says he needs more seasoning. Probably true—and yet Red Nelson of the same company as this Brown, broke in unseasoned and made good with tumultuous emphasis. Ham Brown looked like a winner in the exhibition games, and may get a chance with Philadelphia.

M'QUILLEN IS SENT HOME BY GRIFF

Cincinnati, O., May 2.—(Spl.)—George McQuillan, who was secured by the Reds in a four cornered deal from the Philadelphia Nationals, has fallen off the water wagon and went on a couple of rampages at St. Louis, where the Reds have been laying idle for the past four days. So disgusted was Manager Griffith that he has sent McQuillan ohme and had his name stricken from the pay roll. It is stated here that the big fellow has played his last game in a Red uniform.

Griff has taken action similar to that meted out to Larry McLean, and which by the way, had a wholesome effect upon the tall catcher.

McQuillan has not been in shape all season and on two instances has been knocked out of the box. He won one game for the Reds when he pitched against the Pirates, although he was hit with considerable freedom.

FOUTZ IS IN LIMA

Frank Foutz, Lima boy who was with the local club several seasons and who played with Davenport in the Three Eye League last year is [illegible] in Lima, says John Markham, [illegible] the Lima News. The affairs of [illegible] organization are in a tangled [illegible] at present, litigation pending in the courts. It is not thought that the season will open on May [illegible] as scheduled. Foutz hit .252 last season and was one of the most valuable men in the league.

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Has Finger Mashed.

Charles Kirkendall, a West Second street barber, had a finger mashed by a door slamming on [illegible] hand Monday.

Some Class To Dicky

Dicky Breen, formerly of the Champs, who had more to do with winning the pennant last year than any man on the team except Manager Childs, is getting a flying start at Sioux City. Last Saturday in a slugging bee he made four hits and Sunday he was up five times and banged out two doubles and a single. Some class to Breen.

E. D. Jefforis, of West Sixth street, left yesterday for Gallia county, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother, who is ninety years of age.

Takes New Position.

James Dinsmore has quit the express service and taken a position as N. & W. yard clerk at East Portsmouth.

Pie Decker Is Home

[illegible] Decker left the team at [illegible] and returned home Sunday [illegible] says the Hamilton Journal. He has been out of the game [illegible] Sunday and during the [illegible] the team was at Lima. [illegible] a great deal from what was at first considered a slight wound, necessitating the services of a specialist who brought the old boy around so that he could be sent home, and it is expected that he can get back in the game in a few days.

TRADE BOOSTERS WILL GET A ROYAL WELCOME

Portsmouth is going to give the members of the Cincinnati Commercial Association a royal reception upon the occasion of their visit here on May 12th.

As previously stated this association, comprised of leading Cincinnati business men, starts May 12th upon a trip to West Virginia, to visit communities having trade relations with Cincinnati. They proposed to stop off at Portsmouth one hour on the afternoon of May 12th. Upon being advised of this, President H. S. Grimes and the directors of the board of trade, sent a cordial letter inviting the Cincinnati party to come earlier, see the city, the flag-raising at the ball park, and be entertained at dinner in the evening by the board of trade.

In answer President Grimes received this letter:

Cincinnati, O., May 2.

Dear Sir:—Your very kind letter of April 25th, inviting our party to extend its visit to Portsmouth May 12th, in order to witness the raising of the pennant won by the Portsmouth baseball club last year, and also to remain with you for an evening program, was read at a meeting of our trade excursion committee yesterday afternoon.

The committee was very much flattered by your hearty invitation and voted unanimously to extend the schedule in Portsmouth from 5:20 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. It will probably be impossible for us to reach Portsmouth much earlier than our schedule time, which is 3:50. We hope that will not be too late for us to at least see the finish of the ball game that afternoon, for we will have some very enthusiastic baseball fans in our party.

We very much appreciate your invitation to our party to remain for an evening dinner. This was entirely unexpected by us, and we would be certainly pleased to accept your invitation if it can be arranged, in order to give you a minimum of trouble, and allow us to leave the banquet hall at 8:00 p. m. If your committee wishes to go ahead with the plans for the dinner, would it not be possible to have this dinner at an early hour, say at 6:00 p. m., giving us at least an hour for the program of talks and exchange of greetings.

On account of our arrangements with the railroads for a four days' trip we must return to Cincinnati by 11:30 p. m. or midnight at the latest Friday night, and as it takes three hours to run from Portsmouth to Cincinnati, we would like to get away, if possible, at 8:30 p. m. As our party will have to cross the river to the Kentucky side to take the train, we would probably have to leave the dinner about 8:00 o'clock.

We feel sure that our meeting in Portsmouth will be one of the most pleasant occasions of our whole excursion, and the spirit shown by your letter makes us feel that we want to as nearly adjust our plans to meet yours as possible.

Kindly let us know if the arrangement we have suggested would meet your ideas, and if you can arrange to carry out your program along this line.

Very truly yours,
CARL DEHONEY,
Secretary.

This letter was submitted to the directors of the board of trade at their meeting Monday night, and plans were made for the reception and entertainment of the visitors.

A committee was named, consisting of George M. Appel, chairman; Albert Zoellner, Wm. H. Burt, L. W. Bragdon, Wm. B. Anderson, and Mayor H. C. Searcy, to have full charge of the affair. They will arrange to meet the C. & O. special bearing the visitors, escort them to the ball park to witness the raising of the Ohio State League pennant, then show them over Portsmouth, and finally entertain them at dinner at the Washington hotel. To this dinner all members of the board of trade will be invited and tickets will soon be on sale.

Portsmouth is going to do her best to show that when it comes to hospitality she is indeed the "Peerless City."

Deputy Revenue Collector H. A. McKenzie arrived in the city Tuesday and left immediately for Pink P. O. and Bear Creek, which are 18 miles from Portsmouth. There may be some interesting developments in connection with his hurried visit to those points.

TOO MUCH LOVE

Too much love for fun, frolic and rich food causes stomach, liver, kidney and nervous troubles. Other remedies help you, but DENN'S SURE, SAFE AND SPEEDY cures you. Our discoverer, ten years a miserable sufferer with the above troubles, and RHEUMATISM for years, was cured in one week. To prove our remedy, while they last, regular size bottles only 25c at

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Cut Rate Drugs.

PAID FOR A CRIPPLED HAND

The damage suit of Samuel Jenkins against the Portsmouth Steel Company has been settled out of court. It was to have been heard next week by Judge Blair. Jenkins brought suit for $1,000, as his left hand was permanently crippled in an accident he sustained while at work in the blooming mill. Evans & Crawford, who effected a settlement for Mr. Jenkins, stated Tuesday that the figures were very satisfactory to their client.

MOVED TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. William Eaner, who have been living in the Barron property on Fourth street just below Chillicothe, moved Tuesday to East Ninth street.

All money deposited with The Royal Savings and Loan Company — 19 Gallis street — before May 10th will receive three months interest August 1st at the rate of four per cent per annum. 1-3t

Pea Shooter Was Loaded

Like a gun of the "didn't know it was loaded" variety, a pea shooter is a dangerous proposition.

Willie Haskins, of East Seventh street, almost had his right eye put out by a companion, who was using one of the relics of the school room. The injured boy required the services of a physician.

Will Put Up New Front

Walter Wilhelm has accepted the plans for his new front, which were prepared by Architects Devoss and Wilson. Work will begin Monday, May 16th, when Mr. Wilhelm gets possession of the Weckesser room.

Ohio River Fish for everybody at the old place, Joe Schaeffer & Son, Market street, both phones. 27-6

Those Lucky Plumbers

The Portsmouth Supply Company has rented a room in the [illegible] House in Waverly and it will open a branch store in that city. Many homes are to be piped for water, and for several months it will be a fruitful field for the plumbers.

BIG DOINGS ON ISLE CEBU

[illegible]

New Machines Are Installed

[illegible]

THEATRICAL

At the Majestic.

Prof. Hopkins has a splendid dog act at this house which drew most of the applause at the opening performances Monday. The dogs go through their work quickly and willingly requiring no coaxing nor prompting.

Sherref and Newkirk have a unique singing and talking act that is fairly good. Miss Newkirk imitates a violin splendidly.

The other two acts on the bill are Lillian Price, a ring and bar performer and Harry and Kate Mitchell. Two reels of interesting pictures are shown. Business keeps up remarkably well and Manager Maier says he is going to operate his theatre all summer.

The New Sun.

Marvelous Ed, a one-legged acrobat and hand balancer tops off the new bill at this house, which is not quite up to the usual standard. The bill lacks a "thriller."

Marvelous Ed does more on his one "pin" than most athletes can do on two good legs. He is exceedingly clever and his outfit is very attractive. He has a good act.

Evelyn Raymond, plump and vivacious sings three sonsg, two old ones and one new one, "The Girl of the Golden West," which was admirably rendered.

Others on the program are the Ramsey Sisters, Lou Whalon, an Irish monologist and Wallace's Birds.

Claim Little Girls Victims Of Youths

Serious charges were filed on Monday in Judge Beatty's juvenile court against two Carey's Run boys.

Early on Monday Lee Arnold and Oscar Foster, two Carey's Run farmers, appeared in juvenile court and filed charges against Clarence Graham, 17-year-old son of "Fatty" Graham, and McKinley Malone, 14-year-old son of George Malone, alleging that the boys had, on Sunday night while returning from church, mistreated their 10-year-old daughters, Agnes Arnold and Pearl Foster.

The Graham boy who is employed at the Selby factory was arrested on Monday noon by Sheriff Eckhart and the Malone boy was arested at his home on the West Side late in the evening. Both were taken to the county jail. The Malone boy was released on $100 bond furnished by his father late in the evening and the Grahm boy was allowed to go on his own recognizance. Their hearing has been set for 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

The assault is alleged to have occurred on Sunday night as the little girls were returning home from church at Bethel on Carey's Run. There was a large crowd traveling along the road and in the company were the boys and the two girls. It is alleged that the two boys induced the little girls to fall behind the crowd with them and that after the crowd had gotten considerably ahead that the boys forced the girls to accompany them to a barn near the road.

After the crowd of young people had gotten a considerable distance up the road they missed the boys and the two litle girls and turned back to find them. They found the girls standing in the road near the barn crying and their clothes almost torn off. The boys had disappeared.

Opens Store At Henley

Will Debo, a Henley blacksmith, has given up that business and opened a general store there.

At His Old Job.

Hayden McCarty, a son of Chief McCarty, has resumed his former occupation as plumber for Schmidt & Watkins. Will Bennett has succeeded him as clerk at the McCarty grocery on Robinson avenue.

Do You Think

[illegible]

Grape-Nuts
FOOD

[illegible]

"There's a Reason"

[illegible]

New Terrier Is A Dandy

James Kennedy, the Times' job room foreman, Monday received Lady Barrymore, a registered pedigreed Boston terrier from the Barrymore kennels of Cincinnati. The dog cost Jim an even half hundred plunks.

Preparing To Leave.

Contractor Cal Johnson is busy arranging his affairs preparatory to leaving in several weeks for the Northwest where he will locate.

New Barber Coming.

Harry Evans, proprietor of the Turley building barber shop, is expecting a man from Maysville to succeed Terrill Freeman who has taken a position in Cincinnati.

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I. O. O. F. OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY DAY

On April 26, 1819 the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was founded in North America and the following first of May marked the establishment of this splendid fraternal organization, as it was at Baltimore, Md., 92 years ago that the first lodge was instituted. Thomas Wildly founded the order and Washington lodge No. 1 was instituted by him with but 5 charter members including himself and that lodge is still in existence.

The anniversary was very fittingly celebrated by Scioto lodge No. 31 at its hall, Fifth and Court streets, Monday evening when an excellent and appropriate program, featured by interesting speeches and good singing and music was rendered to the entire satisfaction of the big crowd which packed the hall.

Scioto Lodge is among the oldest and strongest in the state having been organized June 5, 1844, and according to the records enjoys the distinction of having missed but two meetings—one by high water during the '84 flood and the other was prevented by a missing janitor—in the 67 years of its existence.

There are now four lodges of this order in Scioto county, besides two lodges of Rebekahs and the fifth will be instituted at the thriving town of Rarden Tuesday night.

In opening the anniversary exercises Mr. Ben Bratt, who presided after stating the object of the gathering, in the course of his remarks took occasion to refer to a communication received near from grand lodge officers calling attention to the fact that out of the nearly 2000 men caught in the famous boodling scandal in Adams county not a single one was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge which certainly speaks well for the citizenship of the many members in that territory as well as a fine testimonial for the order in general.

Rev. T. H. McAfee, pastor of the First Baptist church, and an honored member of the order and Mr. C. H. Lyman, grand secretary of Ohio, made the principal addresses of the evening, the latter stopping off here while en route for Rarden to institute the lodge there.

Rev. McAfee made a stirring twenty minute talk in which he paid a high tribute to Odd Fellowship and the order in general. The speaker declared "that the organization is attracting the attention of the whole world by the good it is constantly doing." The motto, "Friendship, Love and Truth" is the bedrock and guiding spirit of the order and directs the destiny of the members and inspires them with a spirit of philanthropy, deepest freedom and broadest love which is divine.

Mr. Lyman in a brief talk said that any society that has been in existence for nearly a century and established in Scioto county more than half that time needed no eulogy as as it is the greatest secret society on the face of the earth with a total membership in the nation of more than two million and is 85,000 strong in Ohio.

The speaker then gave a short review of the practical part of Odd Fellowship and told in glowing terms of the progressiveness of this sterling order and of the many who are continually singing its praise throughout this broad land. It is both progressive in character and charity being the first order to commit an indigent member and his wife to an institution for care and each day pays out $500 for charity in this state alone.

The fine home at Springfield, where there is now cared for 176 orphan children is a great monument and pride of the order and the maintenance of that home alone if the organization did nothing eles is enough.

In closing Mr. Lyman paid a high tribute to the order of Rebekahs, a subordinate order and besecched all Odd Fellows to give it their aid at all times. Both speakers were applauded to an echo when they finished.

Other numbers on the program were songs cleverly rendered by the girl quartet of the First Baptist church, piano solo by Miss Mildred Robbins, reading by Miss Mary Shope and recitations by Master Anderson Cook, who made a tremendously big hit while the quartet responded to encores.

At the conclusion of the program a social session followed at which refreshments of ice cream and fruits were served.

WOULD STOP FENCE

George Gerlach, farmer, of Green township, has filed a petition in common pleas court asking for an injunction against Henry and Frank Eckhardt to restrain them from building a wire fence on his 117 acre farm, and also to prevent them from pasturing stock on the farm.

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